WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong east to south winds; mild, with rain.
Vancouver and Vicinity—Increasing easterly winds; mild, with rain.

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HOLDS CANADA FOR CANADIANS

Mr. Nichol Thompson Quotes Mexico and Spain as Instances of Country Exporting Raw Ores

STRESSES COPPER EXPORTS TO U.S.

Optimism Features Address of B.C. Electric Head at Meeting of Mining Institute in Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20. — British Columbia is treading the path of normal progress and there is no excuse for pessimism, George H. Kidd, president and general manager of the B. C. Electric Railway Company, told members of the British Columbia division of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy at their meeting here today. Optimism was the dominant note in practically every address of the afternoon when speakers reviewed the whole industrial fabric of the Province. The afternoon session, followed by a dinner at night, brought the convention to a close and it has been recorded as one of the most successful in the history of the organization in the West.

Demand for power, Mr. Kidd declared, was an accurate gauge of the course of industrial expansion. In the past four years, he said, the load on the B. C. Electric service had increased 10 per cent.

High income tax, in comparison with the United States, had to be taken into consideration as a deterrent factor in the advance of business in Western Canada, the power company excutive pointed out.

Home Treatment of Minerals

Dean R. W. Brock, of the University of British Columbia, in a brief address on mineral exports of Canada, suggested that the press was misleading the "man on the street" on the question of home treatment of the mineral products of Canada. He considered that the campaign to increase the home manufacture of Canadian ores into the refined or finished state was ill-advised.

His views were strongly opposed by Nichol Thompson, who objected to continuance of a policy which made Canadians "hewers of wood and drawers of water." No country

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COURTS TO DECIDE KAMLOOPS CHARGE

POSSESSION OF CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE IS CLAIMED

Mr. J. R. Colley Denies That His Firm Has Dealt With Government Since General Election

Mr. J. H. Colley, Liberal member for Kamloops, yesterday denied that his firm had sold goods to the Provincial Government since the date upon which he had offered himself as a Liberal candidate.

Mr. R. H. Pooley, Conservative leader, followed him with the assertion that the courts would prove how much truth was contained in the statement.

The Conservative leader alleged that the firm of J. R. Colley & Company, of Kamloops, was an unregistered concern, and that the sitting Kamloops representative was its sole member. Conclusive evidence that certain goods had been supplied by the firm on Government contract, both before the election of last June and since that time, had been secured, Mr. Pooley added, and had been forwarded to the interior city where the hearing of the charges would be held.

Premier Oliver said yesterday that he knew nothing about the charges. He explained, however, that the laws provided to prevent a member of parliament doing any private business with the Government were so all-embracing that members with scattered business interests were often innocently involved. To this statement Mr. Pooley reiterated that the firm of J. R. Colley & Company did not represent "scattered business interests."

As examples, Premier Oliver cited the case of Mr. James Cunningham, former member of the Legislature for New Westminster. Trustees of the school district bought an axe and broom at his store unknown to him, and in consequence of the transaction, Mr. Cunningham was forced to resign his seat. He also referred to the case of Mr. Archie McDonald, of Lillooet, which, he said, was quite different from the Cunningham case. Mr. McDonald had been a road foreman under the Government, and had continued to draw his salary after he had been elected. He had been forced to resign, but a bill was put through the Legislature indemnifying him, and he continued to sit in the House until the present Legislature.

Women's Auxiliary of Anglican Church Elect Officers for the Year

REVELSTOKE, Feb. 20.—The Kootenay diocese Anglican Church Women's Auxiliary elected these officers for the coming year on Thursday at the Revelstoke convention: Honorary president, Mrs. Doull, Vernon; honorary vice-president, Mrs. F. H. Graham, Nelson; president, Mrs. Applewhaite, Nelson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Charles H. Orkings, Nelson; recording secretary, Mrs. Bazendale, Trail; treasurer, Mrs. W. J. Mohr, Nelson; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. H. L. Mackie, Grand Forks.

EXPLOSION KILLS FIFTY-ONE MEN

Greatest Colliery Disaster in Indiana Fields Believed to Have Snuffed Out Lives Almost Instantly

TWELVE BODIES REMOVED UP TO LAST EVENING

One Hundred and Twenty-One Were in Workings at Time of Catastrophe—Rescuers at Work

SULLIVAN, Ind., Feb. 20.—In an explosion of gas that wrought the greatest mine disaster in the history of the Indiana coalfields, fifty-one men are believed to have been killed almost instantly at 10:45 o'clock this morning in the City Coal Company mine on the outskirts of this city. There were 121 miners in the workings at the time of the explosion, which occurred in the third and fourth entries, where most of the men were at work who were killed. Rescue crews went to work at once.

Officials of the mine and rescue workers all were of the opinion that there is no possible chance of the men being alive.

Injured Removed

Miners who were injured were brought to the surface at once. The work of bringing out the dead proceeded slowly, the bodies being brought singly. Rescue workers were handicapped by fumes of gas which flooded the mine immediately after the explosion. Tremendous crowds thronged the scene soon after the word of the disaster spread throughout the town and surrounding communities, and automobiles were parked along the roads leading to the shaft for distances of several miles. Wives and children of miners employed in the shaft crowded to the scene of the disaster, seeking information, and groups of wailing, sobbing women and children were clustered about as the news was broken that fifty-one of the men were known to be dead.

Hoisting Signal

A signal to the hoisting engineer was received within three minutes after the explosion, but one of the cages was caught on the bottom by wreckage and miners were forced to climb into the shaft, go to the bottom and cut away the wreckage before the hoisting engine could be used. But one cage was being used as a result in the work of bringing the bodies to the surface. A row of waiting ambulances removed the dead to the city.

Sheer courage and heroism marked the work of the rescuers, who braved the deadly fumes of gas and descended time after time into the mine to bring out the dead.

Many of the workers were overcome and several were carried from the mine. Twelve bodies had been brought to the surface at 6 o'clock.

STRESSES AMITY OF ENGLISH SPEAKERS

BRITISH AMBASSADOR ADDRESSES UNION IN KENTUCKY

Disputes Settled by Force Between Britain and United States He Declares Unthinkable

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 20.—A firm and sympathetic understanding between America and Great Britain and her Dominions, by which settlement by force of any disputes between them would be "unthinkable" would be the "greatest step forward for the establishment of peace that has yet been made," Sir Esme Howard, the British Ambassador, tonight told the local branch of the English-Speaking Union.

He urged the union to strive for "two objectives, both of which are supremely necessary for the peace of the world, but appear at first sight to be somewhat incompatible."

Two Objectives

"The first," he said, "is to establish a feeling of security on the continent of Europe, and especially in France, which will pave the way for a general reduction in armaments. The second is to avoid any guarantee that might conceivably bring us into conflict with the United States of America."

The English-speaking people, he said, have to be taught that every dispute has two sides, and that they will have to give the world the example of peaceful settlements by adjustments, by legal methods or by arbitration.

Not to "Boss the World"

Adoption of the doctrine that America and Great Britain should work together and "boss the world," however, would be "the greatest possible error," he said.

Deploring that "the stupidity and the absurdity of war have not yet penetrated the human brain as they should," he asserted that "the next war will leave a Europe, which already has enough difficulties in paying her debts, without a red cent," and will "ruin all who outlive it."

He said he could not predict the fate of the Geneva protocol for compulsory arbitration, security and disarmament, but declared one thing was certain, "that the British Empire will not stand for any international agreement which might bring it into serious conflict with the United States of America."

"Even peace in Europe," he continued, "would be purchased at too high a price if that was what they had to pay. But we shall. I am persuaded, do everything humanly possible to promote the security of peace in Europe, and I can but hope that Americans will endeavor to understand the difficulties of our position."

Near Scene of Bulgarian Terrorist Outrages

SOFIA, CHIEF CITY AND CAPITAL OF BULGARIA

Where Terrorist Uprisings Are Described as a Serious Symptom of the Country's Internal Situation. The Communist Deputy Strachimiroff and a Sentry Were Assassinated, the Slayer Escaping. While at Philippopool the Secretary of the Municipality Was Shot Dead and the Police Chief Wounded. The Government Has Taken Energetic Measures Against the Terrorists.

MEN AND WOMEN SAME FRANCHISE

BRITISH GOVERNMENT WILL IMPLEMENT PLEDGE

Immediate Change in Female Voters' Age Limit Fails to Receive Sanction of Commons

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The bill to put women on a political equality with men by granting them the vote at the age of twenty-one, instead of the present age of thirty, was killed in the House of Commons this afternoon when the House refused it the second reading by a vote of 220 against 153. The amendment offered by Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the Home Secretary, to postpone franchise reform action until later in the life of the present parliament was carried.

William Whitley, Labor, Blaydon, moved the second reading in the House of Commons today of the bill to enfranchise women at the age of twenty-one instead of at thirty, as at present. He pointed out that the equal franchise existed in New Zealand, the Irish Free State and Australia. Miss Ellen Wilkinson, the woman member for Middlesborough East, seconded. She said that some persons argued that if the vote was given to the younger woman, they would invariably vote for the best looking candidate. This caused some laughter in the House.

Members Need Not Worry

"Looking around this House," Miss Wilkinson said, "I cannot see that there is any need for members to be worried, but I take it we shall see a division in the lobby of those members who are not quite sure of themselves." More laughter followed.

Arthur Henderson, Labor, Burnley, supported the bill on the clear understanding of all parties that it would not come into operation until the next general election.

Sir William Joynson-Hicks, Conservative, moved the government amendment for the rejection of the bill on the ground that it would involve a general election. He also asked the public to record the opinion that a well considered scheme of franchise reform should be submitted to the House within the lifetime of the present parliament.

Majority Instead of Minority

He pointed out that if the bill was passed women voters would be in a majority of 2,000,000 over men, instead of the minority of 2,000,000 they were at present. The government meant to carry out its pledge to give men and women equal political rights, but they desired to do it by agreement and have a conference between all the parties, which would be followed by redistribution. He was of the opinion that a conference should be established next year, then a bill could be introduced in 1927.

Lady Astor then announced she would vote for the bill. Ramsay MacDonald, supporting the bill, declared that to lower the voting age for women to twenty-five years and to increase the voting age for men from twenty-one to twenty-five years would be an unholy transaction. He was of the opinion that the government has intentions of "wangling the franchise."

Tighter Check on Drug Traffickers in Winnipeg Leads to Great Scarcity

WINNIPEG, Feb. 20.—Following a tightening up by the police on the drug traffic here and an attempt by police to round up the peddlers, burglars last night ransacked the office of a local physician and took a quantity of morphine. The increasing difficulty of obtaining narcotics, due to the efforts of the police, is held partly responsible for the robbery. Police are still working quietly to round up the leaders of the narcotic ring, and further arrests are expected shortly, it is stated.

City Clerk Succumbs

NEW WESTMINSTER, Feb. 20.—Thomas John Thomas, city clerk, died in the Royal Columbian Hospital this afternoon. He had been ill a long time. He was born in South Wales and came to British Columbia in 1912. In 1922, he was appointed city cler

His Majesty Passes a Comfortable Day and Favorably Progresses

LONDON, Feb. 20.—King George, who is suffering from bronchitis, passed a comfortable day, and is progressing satisfactorily. This was learned at 10 o'clock tonight, although no official bulletin was issued by the physicians in attendance on the monarch.

URGE SAANICH TO PAY SEWER DEBT

MAYOR PENDRAY AND ALDERMEN CONFER WITH COUNCIL

Ask Saanich Body to Place Sum in Estimates Annually to Liquidate Northwest Sewer Liability

Urging Saanich to place a sum annually in its municipal estimates towards the liquidation of the Northwest Sewer debt, until the amount is paid up, a delegation from the City Council, headed by Mayor Pendray, and including Aldermen Brown, Todd and Marchant, City Solicitor Pringle, and City Engineer Preston, waited upon the Saanich Council last night at its fortnightly session at the Municipal Hall, Royal Oak.

Alderman Brown, chairman of the special committee of the City Council to meet Saanich in respect to the Northwest Sewer matter, introduced the deputation. He stated that the obligation of Saanich in connection with the cost of the sewer was $46,225, plus interest at five per cent from March 7, 1917.

A resume of the northwest sewer construction, and the "gentleman's understanding" and later the agreement between the Councils of Victoria and Saanich, was given by Ald. Todd. He suggested that Saanich put aside each year a substantial amount to take care of this debt.

Says Not Fair to Victoria

"Surely it is not fair to Victoria taxpayers, who are hard pressed, to be asked to finance and pay for in annual taxes that portion of the north-

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SEATTLE OFFICIALS DENY ALLEGATIONS

U.S. IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES ANSWER CHARGES

Complaints of Vancouver Ex-Service Men as to Detention Accommodation Declared Unfounded

SEATTLE, Feb. 20.—Reports from Vancouver, B.C., in the form of news dispatches and requests to local American Legion officials to investigate alleged outrageous conditions under which fifty Canadian ex-service men are held in Seattle for deportation, met with complete denial today from Luther Weedin, United States Commissioner of Immigration. The reports were inspired by statements of J. A. McDougall, claiming to be an ex-pilot of the Canadian Royal Air Force, who arrived in the Canadian city Thursday from Seattle, asserting he had been deported.

McDougall's Protest

"I would sooner do six months in a German prison than thirty days in the Seattle immigration quarters," McDougall is said to have told Canadian authorities.

Local legion officials today stated a request for an investigation had been received and that a report would be made to the Vancouver authorities as soon as possible.

"The immigration station is wide open for investigation," Mr. Weedin declared. "We will give American Legion representatives any information they desire."

McDougall in his statement is claimed to have charged that Canadians scheduled for deportation were served tea and porridge without milk or sugar, had bread thrown at them in chunks for which they had to fight, were given one blanket between three men, with no chance to wash it in thirty days, were quartered eighteen men in a room sixteen by thirty feet, with an increased number at night, and received a brutal smash in the face if they made a complaint to the guard and a general beating if they showed any spirit.

PROTEST OF APPLE GROWERS IS HEARD

NOVA SCOTIAN TAKES MINISTER TO TASK

Government Blamed for Inability of Fruit Raisers to Take Advantage of Their Best Market

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—When a vote for $200,000 for civil government of the fruit branch, Department of Agriculture, was under discussion in the House today, L. H. Martell, Liberal, Hants, advised the Minister of Agriculture to get away from restrictions on the apple growers. The sooner the Minister gives adequate protection to the fruit growers the better, Mr. Martell continued.

He did not mean tariff protection. He meant protection to the man who put up a pack of good apples. The trouble was that the Minister, instead of trusting his inspectors down in the Maritime Provinces, was taking the advice of a lot of highly-paid officials at Ottawa.

There was an interruption from some Progressives.

"Oh, it is all very well for you over there, who never saw an apple grow, to talk," Mr. Martell declared.

Minister Explains

Mr. Motherwell explained that practically all of the $200,000 vote for the fruit branch was spent for inspectors because the work was mostly of an educational nature, which involved the traveling expenses of the department's inspectors.

Mr. Martell went on to say: "I happen to be one who is not particularly in his good books," referring to Hon. Mr. Motherwell, "but nevertheless I can protect myself and I can protect the interests of my constituents as long as I have the honor of having a seat in this House."

"It is all very well," continued Mr. Martell, "for our people to advocate shipping into the central market of Canada.

Ask Impossibility

"It is all very well to ask us to sell our product in Western Canada. We cannot do it under the present system of railway rates, but right at home, where our people grow the best apples that are produced in the British Empire, we are unable, through the fault of the Department of Agriculture, to get our apples on the English market, which should be our chief market. What we are asking today is that the Department of Public Works provide properly heated accommodation so we will be in a position to ship our produce to the markets of the world. Facilities in the city of Halifax, proper piers and proper warehouses."

Mr. Motherwell explained that steps had been taken to remedy the conditions complained of.

Grote Sterling, the newly-elected member from Yale, B.C., explained to the House the origin of the voluntary request from the fruit growers of the Okanagan for Government inspection to help them demonstrate to the wholesalers that they were endeavoring to live up to the grades stamped on their boxes.

The item under discussion carried.

Technically Peccant Member Relieved From Penalties by Commons

LONDON, Feb. 20.—On the suggestion of Sir Douglas Hogg, Attorney-General, it was decided in the House last night to relieve W. Preston, former Conservative member for Walsall, from the statutory penalties of £500 for each occasion on which he voted in the House of Commons while holding certain small contracts with the Postmaster-General. Sir Douglas said that Preston had been wrongly advised before the election when he sought opinion on the subject. He voted quite inadvertently, and already he had suffered a very heavy penalty by forfeiting his seat.

U. S. Airman Killed In Crash at Honolulu

HONOLULU, Feb. 20.—Master Sergeant David E. Grosvenor was killed, and Sergeant Robert H. Fellow, mechanic, was seriously injured, when an airplane which they were flying collapsed when at a height of 800 feet, and crashed on the mudbanks at Pearl Harbor.

Victoria Sealers Agog as Russian Treaty Nears End

Old-Time Victoria Sealers Preparing to Get Away Early Next Spring for Bering Sea Seals—Prohibition Treaty, Which Was Signed in 1911, Terminates in Early Part of 1926

CAPTAIN "SPRAT" BALCOM DESIGNS THREE SCHOONERS

OLD-TIME sealers of Victoria, Vancouver, Seattle, and in fact all along the coast, even seamen who have never before chased the elusive seal in the Bering sea, are all agog over the approaching end of the treaty initiated by Russia, prohibiting the hunting of seals in North Pacific waters. Excitement here has reached fever heat and promises to be far more exciting and interesting than the coming gold rush to the Cassiar fields. Already former sealers are preparing plans for new schooners to once again participate in this particularly lucrative sport.

Sealers claim that due to the fifteen-years' prohibition against killing seals in North Pacific waters, that this field is prolific beyond the dreams of the most imaginative sealer.

Captain William Turpell, operator of the Turpell's Marine Railway, and who, before entering the shipbuilding business, was a sealer, announced yesterday that many old-time sealers were talking about the open season of seals in the Bering Sea next year, and that they were making many inquiries as to the best place to build their schooners.

Captain "Sprat" Balcom, probably one of the best known sealers of past years, is having designs made for three schooners at Halifax, and plans to have them built at Victoria, as after investigation he has found that it is far cheaper and more convenient to build the ships on this Coast than at Halifax, and have them delivered via the Panama Canal. Captain Balcom's ships will be of approximately fifty tons gross, seventy-five feet long and twenty-five feet beam.

This treaty prohibiting hunting of seals in North Pacific waters was signed in 1911, and terminates in the early Spring of 1926. There is only one obstacle, and that is that the treaty might be renewed at the end of its time, but local sealers think that this is very unlikely, in view of the fact that the seals have had plenty of time to breed during the past fifteen years, and according to present indications need exterminating to some degree, as they are becoming a menace to British Columbia fishing districts. Furthermore, they think that a renewal of this treaty is not probable owing to the fact that Russia is not officially recognized in either the United States or British territory. The only other nation affected by this treaty is Japan. This country recently signed a treaty with Russia, thus recognizing that country for the first time since the Soviet Government took over the reins. Even if a treaty is made between Russia and Japan regarding Bering Sea sealing, it will not affect Canada or the United States, so that sealers here and all along the Coast are preparing for the first year of open season.

A boom in the shipbuilding industry will precede the termination of this treaty, and Victoria, Vancouver, and Seattle, will feature largely in this respect. Already Victoria shipyards are negotiating for the building of sealing schooners, as practically all the former schooners have passed out of existence or are now employed in the rum-running trade.

In addition to this, sealers think that more modern ships will be necessary, and auxiliary schooners, fitted with Diesel engines, will be popular in this business.

VANCOUVER WILL FETE PIONEERS

OLD-TIMERS' REUNION SET FOR NEXT MAY

Terminal City Will Be Hosts on Occasion of Meetings of Native Sons and Daughters

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.—Pioneers of British Columbia who came to the Province prior to May 1, 1875, will be the guests of Vancouver at a big reunion to be held May 7, 8 and 9, according to plans discussed at an enthusiastic meeting held here which was attended by representatives of historic bodies, Vancouver pioneers, service clubs and native sons and daughters of British Columbia organizations.

Native Sons and Daughters

The success of the reunion at Victoria and the desire expressed at that time by those in attendance that it should be an annual gathering, to be held coincident with the meetings of the Grand Posts of Native Sons and Native Daughters of British Columbia, it was explained, had resulted in the action towards holding the convention of pioneers this year.

After some discussion, it was decided to fix the date for qualifying residance in British Columbia at 50 years, or four years later than the reunion of last year, which had brought upwards of 700 pioneers together. It is expected that well over 1,000 will be in attendance here, and plans will be made to entertain at least that number.

At a meeting to be held on Thursday of next week committees will be formed and a definite programme of entertainment will be decided upon.

SHIPPING HEAD SPEAKS OF SUBSIDY

ADDRESSES ANNUAL DINNER OF CHAMBER IN LONDON

Gives Instances of Charges for Carrying Wheat From Calgary to London and Division of Money

LONDON, Feb. 20.—In his address at the annual dinner here tonight of the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom, J. Denholm, the new president, referring to the Canadian freight charges, gave an instance of the cost of carrying wheat from Calgary to the English capital and pointed out that the mileage from St. John, N.B., to London was the greater part of the total journey, yet the shipping owner received only 14 shillings of the 72 shillings freight. He further pointed out the transport charges on manufactured 11d four-pound loaf was 1½d, of which the ship owners received the vulger fraction of one farthing.

Cattle Freights Probed

"The subject of cattle freights is under examination by the Imperial Shipping Committee, which was brought into existance at the instance of the Dominions," he said, "and I think it is a shame that W. T. R. Preston's report was published and still more a pity that political announcement was made upon it without awaiting the committee's report."

Sir P. Cunliffe-Lister, president of the Board of Trade, referred to the Canadian report with reference to the North Atlantic Shipping Conference and declared that if at any time charges contained in the report were made by responsible authorities, they would call for a full and impartial investigation. It was only right to say, the minister added, that the Chamber of Shipping and the Liverpool Steamship Owners' Association had informed him that the North Atlantic lines would welcome a searching investigation.

At the business session today a resolution was adopted, recommending that the British Government should join in promoting a general international plan to avoid double taxation of shipping by completing at the earliest moment arrangements for taxation of shipping profits in the country of domicile only.

Greater Toronto Claims Population of 730,809

TORONTO, Feb. 20.—According to the publishers of the Toronto directory, the city's present population is 641,780, with the inhabitants of the suburbs given as 89,029. The population of Greater Toronto is 730,809. Based on these figures and the average yearly growth, Toronto is expected to have 1,000,000 population in fifteen years.

HEAR AN ECHO OF RECIPROCITY FIGHT

FEDERAL MINISTER REGRETS RESULT OF 1911 CAMPAIGN

Progressive Suggests Negotiations With U.S. for Better Trade Relations—Mr. Motherwell Agrees

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—Echoes of the reciprocity campaign of 1911 were heard in the House of Commons tonight when Harry Leader, Progressive, Portage la Prairie, suggested negotiations with the United States for better trade relations. Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, said he entirely agreed with him on the question of reciprocity. He was sorry it had been associated with politics in 1911, and if it had been a plebiscite things might have been different.

Conservative Challenge

"Try it," called a voice from the Conservative benches.

"Well, it would not be a bad idea," replied Dr. Motherwell.

Mr. Leader, in advocating better trade conditions and relations with the United States, said he would like to see a Canadian ambassador in Washington, working in the interests of Canada, and suggested that some of the livestock men in the employment of the Department of Agriculture be given a holiday without pay and the money devoted to the maintenance of the Washington embassy.

Manitoba Minister Has Plea for Bachelors

WINNIPEG, Feb. 20.—Bachelors of the Province got a word of sympathy from some members of the Manitoba Legislature today when the Provincial Income Tax Act was under discussion. Hon. T. C. Norris, who is himself a bachelor, declared the Government was making it as hard as possible for bachelors. The cost of marriage licences had been increased and an extra tax had been put on income. The Government had no right to tax the single man any more than anyone else.

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IMPERIAL ECONOMIC COMMITTEE FORMING

Preparation Reported Well Advanced for Gathering to Be Held at London Immediately

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Negotiations between the British Government and the governments of the Dominions for the formation of an Imperial economic committee are well advanced, according to The Daily Mail. The Mail says that it is probable that a large part of the available funds will be spent on advertising and on various schemes for bringing the produce of the Dominions more prominently before the public of this country. With this end in view it is likely that the services of those familiar with publicity work will be secured, so that they can serve among the British representatives.

While it is possible that some of the picked representatives to be sent by the Dominions may not be able to reach England for a few months, the newspaper says it is probable that deputies will be nominated from the various Dominions' High Commissioners' offices in London to act in the meantime, so that no more time may elapse before the committee can start to work.

Tax Free Bonds Outstanding

OTTAWA, Feb. 19.—Dominion of Canada tax free bonds outstanding at present total $982,386,900, it was stated in the House by the acting Minister of Finance, in answer to a question from J. A. Wallace, Progressive, Norfolk.

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ARMS CONFERENCE LIKELY THIS YEAR

PROGRESS MADE IN ARRANGING SECOND PARLEY

Washington Officials Gratified at Report of Britain's Willingness to Co-operate in Organizing

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Another step toward bringing about another limitation of armaments conference in Washington developed today when it was announced in diplomatic circles that the attitude of the British Government was at all times to back up any move by the United States to establish international peace on a firmer basis.

While the conversations designed to bring about such a conference had been going on for some time in London and Paris, as well as in Tokio, it was stated, it was considered that the plans for the conference were well along now in the preliminary stage and that the conference was likely to be called for the coming Summer.

Mr. Chamberlain for Washington

This was predicted on the understanding that the attitude of the Americans who have been consulted was to endeavor to set a date which would make it possible for Austen Chamberlain, British Foreign Secretary, to attend the conference, and that he had promised to make the journey to Washington if possible.

As viewed in London the conference would be confined to naval limitations, but there are hopes that perhaps the conversations sooner or later might be developed to consider armies.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Unofficial reports of British willingness to co-operate toward limitation of naval auxiliary craft at a new armaments conference were received by officials here today with gratification. Similar expressions of co-operation from Paris and other capitals will necessarily be awaited, however, before any steps of a formal kind relating to the question of a time and place for the conference can be given any serious consideration.

No detailed information on the subject has been received here from Ambassador Kellogg, now on his way to the United States to take over the office of Secretary of State on March 4. Whatever assurances have been given him are being brought by him personally to be taken up with President Coolidge.

DATE OF HEARING OF DEWDNEY APPEAL SET

Court of Appeal Will Take Up Case of Mr. J. A. Catherwood in Vancouver on March 3

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.—The appeal of J. A. Catherwood, successful Conservative candidate in Dewdney, against the judgment of Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald, declaring the election invalid, will be heard by the Court of Appeal in Vancouver on March 3, according to Gordon Sloan, solicitor for the petitioner. The election of the Conservative candidate was contested by Maxwell Smith, Liberal, on the grounds that absentee votes not enclosed in proper envelopes provided for the purpose had been counted in by the returning officer, and that the election was therefore invalid. This contention was upheld by the court on February 4, and the appeal notice, given at once, results in the hearing of the appeal in the early part of next month.

HAD BAD SPELLS WITH HER HEART

Mrs. C. Martin, R.R. No. 3, Orillia, Ont., writes:—"I have been troubled with my heart for a long time and very often had bad spells with it. I would take fainting spells, and my husband had to have somebody to stay with me all the time. He got me everything he could think of to see if they would do me any good, but nothing seemed to help me. One day a friend was in to see me and advised me to try

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Oddities in the News

Church Music Described as Immoral—Treasures in the South Seas—Opera at Six Cents—Horse Guards Chase Deer

YORK, Eng.—A great deal of church and chapel music is "beneath contempt and even immoral," and "appeals to all that is low," Canon Bell, precentor of York Minster, declared in an address on religion and music. "I believe God does not want people to be so conceited as to think that they can sing, when they cannot. I believe we can play golf or cricket to the glory of God, but I do not believe it is any good trying to sing a song to the glory of God when we cannot sing at all."

PAPEETE, Tahiti—Exploration of the mineral resources in the Island of Rurutu is bringing to light new varieties of deposits. Already a large body of almost pure manganese of the highest quality has been found, as well as an extensive deposit of paint rock and some traces of copper. But the most interesting discovery, a deposit of platinum ore, has been examined by European assayers, who have delivered very favorable reports.

Rurutu is an island of the Austral Group, situated about 200 miles south of Tahiti.

LIVERPOOL, Eng.—The idea of giving opera for the minimum price of six cents is to be tried out in Liverpool by the Repertory Opera Company at the David Lewis Theatre. The company hopes to reproduce here an equivalent of the famous "Old Vic" in London. The charge of admission will be from six cents to $1.40.

WINDSOR, Eng.—A detachment of His Majesty's Horse Guards was called out recently to round up and drive back to the royal preserves in Windsor Park, a herd of deer which had strayed into a nearby estate, doing much damage. The guards reached Ascot in the morning and proceeded to sweep the woods, but after several hours' work only succeeded in driving one deer back to the park. They adjourned operations in the afternoon.

About 150 years ago King George III discovered that his deer had left the royal forests at Windsor and invaded the Sunninghill Lodge estate at Ascot. He ordered the Life Guards to drive them back and they were probably more successful than the present day guards, who found that the deer were able to get through places in the undergrowth where a horse could not.

LONDON—In every child there is the spark of genius which is too often quenched, Sir John A. Cockburn told the annual conference of educational associations at University College here recently. "But if this spark is allowed to become a flame," Sir John continued, "it is wonderful what a child can do in later life."

"The child's mind," said Sir John, "is clear of the mists of sectarianism, party and prejudice. Above all things the parent must avoid making finger marks upon the delicate tissue of the young mind. The whole mechanism of the child's brain might easily be spoiled before ever it comes into the hands of the teachers."

Falling Picture Saves Lives of Family When Winnipeg Home Burns

WINNIPEG, Feb. 20.—Two persons were injured in a fire which early this morning destroyed the home of Fred Bodnar, a suburban resident. A falling picture awakened and probably saved the lives of the family, who made their escape through a bedroom window. Bodnar's six-year-old daughter, Marjorie, was lifted through a window by her father and received a severe wound from a jagged piece of glass, while Bodnar had a lacerated hand. Marjorie is in a hospital, but will recover.

Chlorine gas, like that used in the war, has been found suitable in treatment for bronchial troubles.

STATES MOTIVES OF KLAN MOVEMENT

TORONTO STAR PUBLISHES INTERVIEW WITH MEMBER

Main Motive for Organizing in Ontario Capital Stated to Be Pro-Protestantism

TORONTO, Feb. 20.—"The main motive of the Ku Klux Klan which is being organized in Toronto, is pro-Protestantism," according to a prominent Toronto citizen, quoted by The Toronto Star today.

The Star's interview continues: "That means, of course, neutralizing and combatting the propaganda of the Roman Catholics and Jews.

"The Jews are gradually taking possession, one after the other, of all the industries of the continent. They have captured the silk industry in the United States. They have gained control of many huge businesses and industrial lines.

Radio Industry

"The latest field of their offensive is in the radio industry. This was established and invented by Gentiles, but the Jews are gradually gaining the ascendancy in this, too. The Roman Catholics stick together closely in business, too. Both of them are completely organized both in Canada and the United States. To combat their influences it is time Protestants organized as completely as possible. This is what the Klan is doing in Toronto."

The organization of the Klan in Toronto was taken up at the meeting of the Bnai Brith, the strongest of the Hebrew organisations, last night. It was decided to defer action pending further development.

QUICKSAND UNDER DYKE NOT UNUSUAL

Plaintiff in Sumas Suit Answers Complaint of Commissioners as to Locality of Construction

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.—That it is a "common thing" for water from quicksands to boil up underneath bases of dykes, was the contention of F. N. Sinclair, who is suing the Provincial Land Settlement Board for $60,000 fees in connection with plans prepared for the $3,000,000 Sumas land reclamation scheme, when the plaintiff was being cross-examined in the witness box this morning. The trial is proceeding in Supreme Court before Mr. Justice Morrison.

"How high above the quicksand is the bottom of the dyke?" asked E. C. Mayers, counsel for the defence.

"From two to fourteen feet, according to location," said the plaintiff.

Counsel for the defence indicated that he intended to prove by expert evidence that the Sinclair plans, upon which the action is based, contained nothing that was not in other reports at the disposal of the board.

CRAZED DRUG ADDICT KILLS SIX PEOPLE

Mexican Hospital Employee Runs Amuck in Institution With Butcher Knife

GUAYMAS, Mexico, Feb. 20.—Crazed from smoking marihuana, Exador Valle, twenty-seven, a former member of the marine corps of the Mexican army, ran amuck today in a hospital with a butcher knife and killed six people before he could be subdued.

Valle was employed at the hospital and, according to stories told the police, he went to the kitchen of the hospital and seized a butcher knife and stabbed the cook and an attendant, then ran into one of the wards and stabbed and killed four patients before he was felled by another hospital employee.

Police say that after he was taken to the jail and quieted he denied all knowledge of the affray and protested he was innocent.

As this is the second case of a marihauna addict running amuck in Guaymas in the past year, the police have redoubled their efforts to stop the traffic in the drug.

Hurt Fox Seeks Refuge

PEMBROKE, Ont., Feb. 20.—A red fox with one of its feet caught in a steel trap, dragged itself to the home of M. Levell, farmer, near here, Thursday, and made its presence known by scratching at the door. After its foot, which had been badly frozen, had been doctored, the fox had no objection to being placed in captivity.

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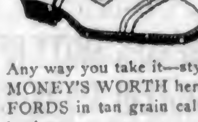

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Murderer Faces Firing Squad

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 20.—Henry C. Hett, alias George Allen, was executed by a firing squad at the Utah State Penitentiary here at 7:45 o'clock this morning for the murder of Police Sergeant N. P. Pierce, on November 27, 1922.

Mrs. Rynd Jamieson Dead

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.—Mrs. Rynd Jamieson, wife of Rynd Jamieson, musical critic of The Daily Province, died today after a prolonged illness, at the age of 42. She was born in Ingersoll, Ont., and was well known in Eastern Canada.

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DR. DAVIES TO SPEAK OF BRITAIN AND U.S.

Dr. Clem Davies will preach to the City Temple congregation tomorrow evening on the subject, "America and Britain: Friends or Foes?" Dr. Davies will deal with nearly every vital phase of Anglo-American relations, his sojourn in the United States for nearly twelve years giving him a vantage ground from which he can give valuable information as a Britisher concerning the United States.

The speaker's interest in the narcotic drug situation in this Province has necessarily made him follow keenly the debates in the recent international narcotic drug convention at Geneva. Dr. Davies said yesterday that the attitude of the American representative was indefensible.

"It's all very well to pass the buck to Great Britain and tell her to clean up the drug situation in the Far East and then for America to stand on one side as a spectator in international affairs, desiring to dictate international policy and yet washing her hands of every bit of responsibility in carrying out all these far-reaching measures," he said, "The attitude of the American representative was merely grandstand play. That is no way for a great Christian republic to act. America's isolation from direct contact with world affairs is not only indefensible, it is sinful, and more, it is not in accordance with the best thought of the United States people. Doubtless in her best moods, America is thoroughly ashamed of herself."

Pauline Frederick's Attachment

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—A writ of attachment directing the sheriff to attach any property in New York belonging to Pauline Frederick, screen actress, was issued today by Supreme Court Justice Wagner, on petition of George Edwin Josepha, a lawyer.

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VOTE $2,000 FOR RELIEF OF IDLE

APPROPRIATION THIS WINTER NOW TOTALS $9,482.60

Council Decides to Give Opportunity of Work on Regular Gangs to Former Employees of City

A further sum of $2,000 was voted by the public works committee of the City Council yesterday afternoon for unemployment relief. This brings the total appropriation this Winter up to $9,482.60 for unemployment relief purposes, according to figures supplied the committee by City Engineer F. M. Preston.

As a result of a decision reached yesterday, Mayor Pendray will consult with the City Engineer with regard to the placing of unemployed on gangs engaged on regular public works rather than on relief work.

Former civic employees now unemployed may be given work for periods of twelve days instead of some of the regular workmen who have had steady employment all the year round.

Mayor Pendray suggested that the city start improving the approaches to the Crystal Gardan without further delay. He advocated that members of the unemployed should be included on the gangs of regular city workmen which would be engaged on this work. Many men, he said, who had formerly worked for the city for four and five years were daily besieging his office in search of work. If they had not been efficient workers they would not have been employed by the city formerly, he contended. They might alternate with workmen who had been regularly employed on the civic gangs during the past year, he suggested, each being given twelve days' work.

Money expended this Winter on unemployment relief work, a sum totalling approximately $7,369, has not been provided for in the estimates, it was divulged in the course of the discussion. Provision would be made for the expenditure in the contingent fund, Alderman Marchant proposed.

Alderman Todd declared that the city's programme of unemployed relief work would cease within thirty days. He advocated the formulation now of a scheme for unemployment relief next Winter, so that the city should not be caught napping when the crisis arose. Alderman Marchant supported this view. The suggestion was not translated into action, however.

BEQUEST IS SUBJECT TO FREAK CONDITIONS

Saskatoon Fox Farmer Gets $648,000 Provided He Does as Dead Uncle's Will Specifies

SASKATOON, Feb. 20.—Through an unexpected legacy left him recently by his uncle, Colonel Arthur G. Blake, of Sussex, England, and Forfarshire, Scotland, Captain Alfred T. Blake, at present engaged in fox farming at Wilkie, Sask., is now lord of Wooten Manor, in England. But he must carry out strange provisions set down in the will before he claims the wealth, which amounts to $648,000.

It is stipulated that he must:

1. Visit his mother's birthplace at Umbalta, India.
2. Visit the spot in South Africa where his father was killed in the Boer War.
3. Remain in Canada until November 20, 1927.
4. After that date make his home at Wooten Manor, after having carried out the necessary conditions.
5. Marry some time before January 1, 1930.
6. Encourage the Sussex Fox Hunt to the best of his ability, and be a member of the same.

Captain Blake, who won several decorations during his four years' service in the Great War, came to Canada after the war. No explanation of the curious provisions in the will have been given.

VOTERS ARE LIABLE TO LOSE FRANCHISE

Unless Reinstated, All Those Who Failed to Vote in June Will Be Struck Off

Unless proper registrations are made before May 15 next, electors who failed to cast their votes at the general election of last June will have their names struck from the voters' lists, according to an announcement made yesterday. A Court of Revision will sit on that date for the purpose of scrutinising the lists. Reinstatement may be secured now my applying on special forms to be secured from Registrar George H. Mabon, Court House, Bastion Street, or from any other appointed commissioner.

It is said that in Victoria alone 7,960 people qualified to vote failed to exercise their franchise last June. In the Esquimalt electoral district a total of 350 people failed to vote, and unless they take individual action towards reinstatement their names will not be included in the new lists.

LOCAL EAGLES VISIT SEATTLE ON SUNDAY

Will Boost for Convention to Be Here During Month of June, When Eagles Hold Gathering

A strong delegation from the local aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles are attending the ceremonies connected with the laying of the corner stone of a $1,500,000 temple that the Seattle body is erecting. This will be on Sunday and Victoria will be represented by twenty-five of its members. Mr. Frank Le Roy, the local president, went over to Seattle yesterday and will be followed today by the remainder of the delegation from this aerie.

While the visit of the local Eagles is intended to manifest a fraternal feeling with their brethren in the Sound City, there is another object in view. This is to remind the Washington Eagles that the big convention for British Columbia and the state of Washington is to be held in this city in June. Banners setting forth this fact and the attractions of Victoria will be carried by the local visitors. These have been provided by the Publicity Bureau.

The local aerie is making a determined drive to increase its membership to six hundred this Summer. Upon reaching this membership they hope to commence building here upon the property laid by the order.

Counter-Revolutionary Rallying Point in a Period of Social Crises

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The current issue of the principal English Communistic organ, referring to the discussion in the House of Commons, when the estimates for the Prince of Wales' coming tour were brought up, suggests that the various activities of the royal family are intended to create "such an emotional attachment between the mass of people and the monarch as would enable the monarchy to function as a counter-revolutionary rallying point in a period of social crises—perhaps against a Labor government really intent on challenging capitalism."

SOVIET LECTURERS LABOR IN CANADA

LONDON POST EXPOSES ACTIVITIES OF COMMUNISTS

Moscow Organ Claims Alberta Coal Strike and Trouble in Nova Scotia as Party's Propaganda

LONDON, Feb. 20.—"The success of Communist propaganda in Canada" is the subject of an article in the Moscow newspaper, Pravda, which The London Morning Post today reproduces.

This article asserts that special Communist lecturers have been traveling through Canada and that the number of Canadian members of the Communist organization has increased considerably in the last few months, so much so that several Communistic training schools have been organized in different parts of the Dominon. Canadian Communists, according to the article, are preparing to issue a special weekly supplement to their central organ, which appears fortnightly in Yiddish.

"In the course of the last few months," The Pravada article says, "the Canadian Communists' party has been carrying out a most bitter war against the so-called One Big Union in Nova Scotia and against the Canadian trades unions. The Communist party in Canada also organized the recent miners' strike in Western Canada and is at present actively engaged in setting up Soviets of unemployed in various parts of the country."

Trades and Labor Opinion

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—"I think this article was largely written for the consumption of the Russian section of the Canadian Communists," stated Tom Moore, president of the Trades and Labor Congress, this morning, when referred to the above dispatch from London.

"There is undoubtedly great activity, however, in the Communist ranks in Canada, but in so far as any statement is concerned that they organized the miners' strike in Western Canada, that is all 'bunk.'

"In regard to their war on Canadian trades unions, that has been going on for several years. They have not increased in numbers here during the past few months, as alleged. Their idea does not seem to be toward an increase, but rather to effectively distribute their membership in all centres and yet keep their numbers small enough so as to maintain strict discipline and dictatorship.

"Their statement as to their publications is hardly correct. They have an issue known as The Worker, which is published weekly. I understand they intend to have a monthly supplement shortly and have made other increases in the number of their press publications recently, notably a paper for circulation within the trades union known as The Left Wing."

Still Operating Secretly

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Feb. 20.—Chased to cover by the recent exposures in a court trial which involved the Red element of the Society Prosvita, Communist bodies of Port Arthur and Fort William are still operating secretly and preaching their doctrine among the more or less illiterate foreign population, it was stated today by a former member of one of the Red societies, who was barred from the society because of his evidence at a court trial which involved a number of his colleagues.

Communistic doctrines are not confined solely to the Finnish Reds, he claimed, but are also prominent among the Ukrainians, who are operating under the guise of the Workers' Benavolent Society at its headquarters in Fort William.

Members of the society are scattered through the industrial plants, in the elevators, railway shops and the municipal electric street railway. Many hold positions as foremen, which brings them in direct touch with the men under them, it is stated.

A Calgary Denial

CALGARY, Feb. 20.—Whatever success the Moscow paper Pravda may claim for Communistic propaganda in Canada, the suggestion that the strike of miners in Alberta last year was engineered by the Communists was absolutely erroneous, officials of the United Mine Workers of America here stated today. The Communists had nothing whatever to do with it. As a matter of fact, the U.M.W.A. organization was totally opposed to Communism. The direct cause of the strike was owing to not being able to effect the wage scale originated at the headquarters of the organization at Indianapolis.

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GIVES JUDGMENT IN TWO ACCIDENT CASES

Awards Made in County Court in Two Recent Actions Tried Before Judge Lampman

Judge Lampman has handed down his judgments in two accident actions herd before him recently. These were the cases of Rowe vs. McCoubrey and Burch vs. Sluggett.

In the first of these the plaintiff, a young boy of eighteen years of age, while riding a motor-cycle, collided with an automobile driven by the defendant. As a result of the accident the boy had to have his foot amputated. He claimed damages to the amount of $1,000. On the other hand, the defendant denied that any blame attached to him, claiming the plaintiff was cutting the corner when the accident happened. He put in a counter-claim for the damage to the car.

His honor found that the plaintiff cut the corner. In his wirtten judgment, he remarks upon the fact that the boy had neither a bell nor a horn on his motor-cycle, contrary to regulations.

"In his misfortune in losing a foot," says the judge, "he has my sympathy, but this must be of no avail to him when he seeks to make the wrong person responsible."

He dismissed the plaintiff's action and added that the defendant was entitled to judgment for $75.

In the action of Burch vs. Sluggett, a young girl sought damages for injury to her bicycle and clothing in a collision with an automobile.

His honor found that the defendant was negligent. "He was driving a dangerous machine and was cutting it too close." He thought, however, that the claims put forward for loss sustained were rather exaggerated. The bicycle, he thought, would not be completely ruined. The accident would not render the dress of a fifteen-year-old girl useless. He therefore fixed the damages at $55.

Fatal Motor Crash

SEATTLE, Feb. 20.—Thrown out of an automobile driven by her uncle, Ole Stor, last night, when the car struck an obstruction, Ella Jaren, four years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred M. Jaren, received injuries from which she died this morning.

Franco-German Pact Off

PARIS, Feb. 20.—Negotiations between France and Germany for a commercial treaty have been suspended as a consequence of the German reply to the last French note, which, the French found, left no basis on which the delegations could profitably proceed.

Rob Postoffice Safe of $300

RUDDELL, Sask., Feb. 20.—Two hundred dollars were stolen by robbers who early yesterday blew open the safe in the local postoffice and escaped. Some valuable papers were also taken.

His Mirror Told Him of Exhausted Condition

Mr. R. Paulin, Toutes Aides, Man., writes:

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THE SUBSIDY BILL

Under the Subsidy Bill, whereby Canada is to embark on an Atlantic freight rate war, there is to be an annual payment of $1,375,000 per annum to the firm controlled by Sir William Peterson. This is to be maintained for at least a period of ten years with a possible renewal of the contract. Thus the country is pledged to an outlay of $13,750,000 which the taxpayers will have to find. It is an unnecessary expense, and the likelihood is that it will prove wholly nugatory in results. Canada is embarking on a plan upon which the British Government has never ventured to embark, and yet Britain is the premier marine nation of the world. Britain is too wise in her generation and in the experience of centuries to attempt to interfere with the economic laws which govern ocean-borne commerce.

Under the Subsidy Bill Canada is to control and regulate the rates to be charged by the contractor. The Government of this country is to fix such transportation rates on all commodities from time to time, but what it cannot fix is that the cargoes of private shippers will be carried by the subsidised line. The newly subsidised company is to carry all Canadian mails, which will probably mean a flowing up in mail communication between this Dominion and the Motherland. It is to carry emigrants to these shores at rates fixed by the Government of Canada. The Peterson fleet is to work "loyally" with the Canadian National Railways and the Canadian Government Merchant Marine, which, in effect, is a hint at discrimination against the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company, which are also essentially Canadian services.

The agreement framed under the Subsidy Bill would be amusing if it was not tragic in its possible implications. It is provided, for instance, that the Peterson Company, "on receiving three months notice from the Government, shall arrange to place additional ships up to the number of ten in the service." It is easily conceivable that such additional ships could not be acquired at such short notice. They certainly could not be built. Where the Government has erred, if its intention is to benefit Canada, is in not arranging for all the Peterson ships to be built in this country. In that way, at least, some advantage would have accrued under the Subsidy Bill, although that measure will not increase Canada's trade.

The Peterson ships cannot operate economically on the subsidy alone. Even with it, and in competition with vessels far better equipped and on established lines with regular trade connections, they must secure their full share of the traffic. Newly embarked in service they will only be prepared, up to a certain point, to engage in a freight war unless they have unlimited backing from the Federal Government. That backing, as at present constituted, is limited to $1,375,000 per annum, which is a mere fleabite in the cost of steamship operations on the Atlantic. If the Atlantic Conference accepts the challenge of the Canadian Government and decides upon a rate war, the Peterson Line could be put out of business in a year. It, perhaps, would be the best thing for Canada if this should happen, for this country is in no position to perpetuate a subsidy for ocean traffic. It is embarking on a most doubtful policy, that of interference with private enterprise on the seas. It is a policy which Britain regards as wholly unnecessary, and even antagonistic to her maritime greatness. The Mackenzie King Government has rushed, in "where angels fear to tread," and the result will prove anything but satisfactory to the taxpayers of the Dominion.

WHEAT SITUATION

Sir William Edgar Nicholls, the Governing Director and Chairman of Spillers Milling and Associated Industries, Limited, has been giving evidence on the world's wheat supplies before the British Royal Commission on Food Prices. His company by recent developments, and particularly in the establishment of an elevator system in Western Canada, is seeking to insure wheat supplies for Britain from the British Empire, and in the process it has gone a long way, according to Sir William, in purchasing direct from the producer. The number of intermediaries has been reduced to a minimum. Sir William says that any intermediary existing under present conditions of trading carries out his function at a brokerage charge, which, in the general price, is really negligible, and he warns the Commission against any degree of interference in that complex business. In fact, he says, that if it is thought expedient to interfere at all, he is convinced that the State would have to go the whole way, as trading partly governmental and partly commercial is impossible.

Sir William attributes the rise in the price of wheat to the increased population of the world. As production is not on an economic basis there has been no increase in acreage. In July last it was assumed that the outlook was rosy, but, he says, "the crop in Canada showed a great deficiency, while the wheat produced graded very badly." The American maize crop was 500 million bushels less than the previous year. In the whole of Europe the harvest of wheat was one of the worst for many years. The initial rise in price had been aggravated by the demand from Europe. The increase during January was entirely attributable to the fact that Eastern Europe had come into the market; even Russia was buying wheat. It was said that Russia alone must buy 250,000 tons. In the three years before the war the export of wheat from the Black Sea was 19,542,000 quarters, 19,940,000 quarters, and 29,347,000 quarters.

The head of Spillers points out that the Chicago market rules the world as far as prices are concerned. That market is occasionally interfered with by speculators, but in his opinion they lose more often than they gain. It is true that a large part of the world's wheat supply does not pass through Chicago, but the international value is fixed by that market. In his opinion it is as essential to have a market to fix prices for wheat as it is to have some means of fixing the value of the sovereign in dollars. If the value of the pound had not appreciated as it had since last June, the price of flour today would be 65s. instead of 56s. Speaking of the Canadian product, he said that it was obvious that if Canada could produce her wheat and land it at British ports at the same price as the home-grown wheat, the Canadian wheat would be the most economical wheat of the two. From this he deduced that the British farmer might be well advised in concentrating on stock-raising rather than wheat growing.

SECTS AND LAWYERS

The Samoan Chiefs, who have been visiting New Zealand to thank the Government of that country for the manner in which the mandate over the Samoan Islands has been carried out, have preferred two novel requests through Toelupe, the Faipule spokesman. They are that "they do not want any lawyers to be sent to Samoa; they teach the people to lie; nor do they want any new religious sects to come there. They have the Light now, and they do not think it necessary for any new denominations to come." Thus the people of Samoa are satisfied. They do not want the introduction of elements which will lead to religious quarrels and legal arguments. There is a hint of sound wisdom in their requests, and the Government of New Zealand will probably be well enough advised to observe them.

Britain continues to suffer from an influenza epidemic, but while it is widespread it is not of a serious character. Influenza is by far the most serious scourge with which the modern world is afflicted because of its insidious character. It bears severely on any person suffering from any form of chronic illness, on those who possess but a "small margin of safety" in the matter of health. In Britain the one remedy for influenza that is being insisted upon is warmth. In this particular instance it is regarded as the "immemorial adjunct of good therapy." It is necessary to keep warm during the original attack, and for some period after it, and it is said that the sickroom should always have a fire or sufficient heat of some character.

When the newly appointed French Embassy staff arrived in Leningrad to take possession of the French State property there it was found that the Embassy had been looted. Priceless tapestries, some of which had belonged to Queen Marie Antoinette, have disappeared, as well as valuable silver plate and furniture, all dating from the 18th century. The articles were, seemingly, removed by the windows, as the seals on the doors were unbroken, and it is said that they were removed by the order of M. Zinovieff, though now agents of the Cheka (political police) are conducting a search for them.

OXFORD BLUE

I love the language of my father's land:
It lilts, and lends itself to every mood—
First hoped from childish lips when hand in hand,
He sought its beauty to propound, nor would
E'er totarata a lame or laggard "G,"
Nor "sich" for "such," nor "jist" for "just as good":
Methought ha did than herald harmony,
And paint the alphabet in peatmody.

E'en now some fain would hidden wealth reveal
To those of tender years who needs must heed,
Nor foul the font that diction doth imbue:
Come be not errant—else thine error steal
Thy heritage, whence all who run may read—
To thine own land and language then be true!

—Jeanne Valdez.

Victoria, B.C.

Trouble at Shanghai

PEKING, Feb. 20.—The Japanese legation, in a communication to the Chinese Foreign Office, called attention to the cotton mills strike at Shanghai, and urged the Government to keep the strikers under surveillance so as to avoid repetition of the recent incidents, in which, several Japanese were injured.

Lady Sifton's Funeral

TORONTO, Feb. 20.—Simple ceremonies marked the funeral of Lady Sifton, which was attended by relatives and a few close friends here this afternoon.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Vancouver has not got a little white bear in its collection of captive creatures, but it has got skylarks. Unfortunately, Vancouver's skylarks are not like the songsters of the Uplands. They are not enjoying the liberty originally bestowed upon all created things by the Creator. They cannot soar up in the heavens and raise their sweet voices and uplift their tender little hearts in joyous songs of praise and thanksgiving.

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The skylarks of Vancouver are confined in cages, and they are offered for sale. If the skylarks of the present day are anything like the skylarks of days that we remember, anyone who buys them will drive but a poor bargain. They do not live long in confinement, and they never sing in a prison. They will not sing except in their proper and natural environment, and if they are denied the right of song in their proper and natural environment their hearts break and they die.

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The song of the skylark is the essential part of him; it is the only really attractive part of him. Nature has not given him a coat of many colors. He is as soberly clad as a Quaker. His eye is the only bright and sparkling feature of his person. He is not worth keeping in a cage simply to look at. He has no accomplishments like the parrot, the starling, or even the raven. Consequently we cannot understand why any person should desire to possess a skylark in a cage.

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The captive skylarks of Vancouver therefore should be released from captivity—and they should be set free in a part of the country where they would have some chance of surviving the change from a position of servility to a position of independence. We believe there is only one place where the unfortunate Vancouver skylarks would have a reasonable chance to make their way in a strange part of the world. They should be brought over to enjoy the company and benefit from the experience of the birds of the Uplands. Some kind-hearted and nature-loving Victorian should go over to Vancouver, buy them in a bunch, bring them here and restore them to freedom and happiness. Anyone who did that surely would have a rich reward in the consciousness of a very kindly deed.

Some years ago we indulged ourselves in idle speculation on the subject of organization. The organization movement was in its infancy then. Only Labor in some of its branches was more or less effectively organized. Now organization is general. Transportation interests, manufacturing interests, trading interests, business interests of all kinds, have followed the example of Labor. They are all organized. Even the farmer, with all his diversity of interests, is either organized or in process of being organized. He is told by his scientific advisers that he must organize if he hopes for economic salvation.

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In discussing this very interesting matter of organization on the occasion referred to, we expressed some doubt about the ultimate results of the organization movement. We asked what the condition of the masses of the people would be after all businesses and interests were organized. We suggested that possibly the condition of the people of the world under complete organization would be precisely the condition of the people of the world when there were no organizations—when individualism was the basis of all the activities of life.

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Labor in the country where Labor is paramount in industry and aims at paramountcy in government—Labor in Great Britain claims that all the necessaries of life are controlled by combines, and that combines fix the prices at which the said necessaries of life shall be sold. Labor asks the Government to appoint some kind of a body to investigate the operations of the combines, and to suggest to Parliament some method of compelling the combines to reduce the prices of the goods they control and sell.

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But suppose the industrial and commercial combines should retort that Labor itself has formed not only a national combination, but is part of international combinations, controlling and regulating the prices at which labor shall be sold. What could Labor say to such statements? Labor unquestionably has formed a combination, and that combination not only aims at complete control of the wares it has to dispose of to the other combines, and to people who cannot combine—the Labor combine hopes to rule by political action all the other combines. The other combines entertain in their minds no such vaulting ambition as that.

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The ambitions of Labor are perfectly legitimate; but the complaints of Labor against other combines appear to us both illegitimate and unreasonable.

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We are frequently told by counsel for the Labor cause that relatively the worker is no better off today than he was twenty or thirty years ago. Wages are much higher admittedly; but the cost of living is very much higher unquestionably. Therefore the working man who is organized is no better off than he was twenty years ago. But what about the condition of the workingman who is not organized, and the condition of all who have fixed incomes from any source? All who are serving the term of the sentence imposed in the Garden of Eden, no matter whether they live by the labor of their hands or by labor in which the hands do not do the principal part, and who have not entered into some kind of a combine, are the victims of circumstances created by combinations.

Canada's Story Day by Day

By BLODWEN DAVIES

FEBRUARY 21

When the United States planned to wage war upon Canada, more than a century ago, they believed they would be welcomed by the people as deliverers. Especially they expected the French in Quebec would see in them a means of escape from the supposed tyrannies of British government. They should have been warned by an event which took place on this day in 1812 when the Parliament of Lower Canada met and granted £12,000 for militia, £20,000 for defence, and £30,000 for the use of the Governor "should war break out." To gallant Brock most of this readiness to give prompt aid for the defence of Canada, is due. He had been struggling for ten years to set Canada's house in order for the war which he felt to be inevitable. His youth and vigor and devotion had acted like a tonic upon the youth of Canada. To his preparedness is due the fact that when the war ended not one foot of Canadian soil was occupied by the enemy.

Today, February 21 Is the Anniversary of:

Birth of Cardinal Newman; London, 1801.

Birth of Major-General Sir Charles Townshend, the hero of Kut-el-Amara; London, 1861.

Death of King James I of Scotland, murdered at Perth; 1437.

Death of Julius II, the famous fighting Pope, founder of the church of St. Peter at Rome; 1513.

Death of Henry Grey, Duke of Suffolk, father of Lady Jane Grey, beheaded for his part in the plot to place his daughter on the throne; 1555.

Death of Benedict de Spinoza, the celebrated pantheistic philosopher; The Hague; 1677.

Death of Rev. Robert Hall, famous Baptist preacher, ranked as one of the greatest of English pulpit orators; Bristol, 1831.

Occupation of Jericho by Gen. Allenby's forces; 1918.

Great Thoughts

Travel, in the younger sort, is a part of education; in the elder, a part of experience. He that travelleth into a country before he hath some entrance into the language, goeth to school, and not to travel.—Francis Bacon.

Let us develop the resources of our land, call forth its powers, build up its institutions, promote all its great interests, and see whether we also, in our day and generation, may not perform something worthy to be remembered. Let us cultivate a true spirit of union and harmony.—Daniel Webster.

Let us not overstrain our abilities, or we shall do nothing with grace. A clown, whatever he may do, will never pass for a gentleman.—LaFontaine.

PARKING PROHIBITION IS CAUSING PROTEST

Merchants Claim Enforcement of Regulations Is Injuring Their Business

In line with instructions issued by the Victoria Police Commission at its last meeting, the police department is rigidly enforcing traffic regulations, particularly in respect to illegal parking of cars in prohibited areas within the business district of the city. Over fifty first-warning cards have been served on motorists during the past two days for parking cars for a longer period than one hour in prohibited zones, and it has been explained that a second breach of the regulations will lead to appearance in police court.

Enforcement measures adopted by the police have drawn strong protests from various merchants who claim that the rule prohibiting parking for a longer period than one hour, was driving business away from their stores. It is understood that the objections will be considered by the police commission at its next meeting.

ASKS COURT SETTLE CONTRACT DISPUTE

Judge Lampman Hears Evidence as to Work Done on House at Uplands

Judge Lampman is now engaged in the county court in hearing evidence in the action of McKechnie vs. Martha and Mary Shaw. The action is one in which the plaintiff, Mr. Peter McKechnie, seeks to recover an amount which he claims is due to him from the owners of a pretentious residence at the Uplands. The claim is for $384.

The defendants had let a contract for the construction of a house, but before it was finished the original contractors threw up the work, leaving considerable to be done. The plaintiff, a contractor, was then called in. He looked over the job and drew up, at the request of the defendants, specifications which he held necessary to put the home in shape. These called for an expenditure of $1,070, and in addition there was some material that was required over and above what was on the ground. When the work was completed about $806 was paid him. The plaintiff claims that there is still due about $384.

The defendants claim that the work was not done in a good manner and also object to some of the items in the charges made.

On the other hand, it is put forward by the plaintiff that the work was all carried out in the very best manner and even better than was required. Extras were put in; it is claimed, without anything being charged.

The evidence for the plaintiff is now all in and on Monday the defence will open. Mr. W. T. Straith appears for the plaintiff and Mr. Oscar Bass for the defendants.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

The Malahat Road

Sir,—I saw a letter in your Sunday's issue from Alderman Todd, and regret to find he is annoyed by my referring to him as secretary of the Motor Club. The mistake occurred in this way: When I was agitating for the building of the road I was anxious to get the support of the motoring public. I was told to go to Mr. Todd, on Wharf Street. Somehow I took it that he was secretary to this organization, and was under that impression until I saw his letter, and beg to apologize for my mistake.

Alderman Todd says that the subject of the road to Mill Bay was old when I introduced myself. No doubt it was, from the fact of surveyors being sent out from time to time for forty years, who reported that it was impossible to find a line.

Realizing the situation, I started "on my own" in 1905 and spent nearly three years, off and on, before I could show the line on the map. When I went to Alderman Todd in 1907, as I said in my former letter, he assured me of his support, but never mentioned anything having been done previously. On a subsequent occasion he told me of having engaged Mr. Verdier to cruise the line and report. I suppose it was for this purpose "many individuals gave generous assistance with their time and money" (query as to the time.) What about the time I spent in finding the line and, when I had found it, going around with the petition, making a house-to-house canvas all around my district and also the city of Victoria? I shortened the city work by invoking the aid of the Board of Trade and Tourist Association, as well as the Motor Club. I held meetings and wrote to the press. Both The Colonist and The Times expressed their approval, which was of supreme importance.

I was most anxious to get the support of H. B. Thomson, M.P.P., who joked me about having "road on the brain." I got him to give me ten minutes for a talk on the matter. I asked him why he said the road could not be built. "Oh, everyone says so," replied he. "Don't you remember," said I, "the saying, 'Believe nothing you hear and half what you see'"? "Well," said he, "do you speak from personal experience?" "Yes," said I, "I have gone over the line on my own legs." "That alters the matter," said he, "and I'm with you most cordially."

He introduced the deputation to the Government from the Board of Trade.

Another matter I should like to mention. A Provincial election was pending. W. H. Hayward came to canvass our district. I told him before he started: "If you promise the electors to support the road to Victoria, you will get as good a majority as John Evans had last election." "But," said he, "I don't know of any such road." I took out my map. "Here it is," said I. "But if I'm asked questions about it, what am I to do?" said he. "Send them to me," said I, "you want to get the votes." So he agreed—and got the votes.

Subsequently, just before the House met he asked me to let the matter drop. "In two or three years time," said he, "there would be a better chance." I told him that if he didn't care to present the petition I would give it to J. H. Hawthornthwaite, who would be most happy to do so. That brought him to his bearings.

In conclusion, I beg to state that for the time I spent and the miles I travaled, on horse and on foot, as well as going back and forward by train to Victoria, I never either asked or received any recompense. I gave my time and my money for the good of the country, and I was very proud to be the first person, on its completion, to drive over our beautiful new road to the beautiful city of Victoria.

Trusting that I am not taking up too much of your valuable space.

J. F. LENOX MACFARLANE,
Major (Retd.)

Mill Bay, B.C., February 17, 1925.

Gardening Lecture

Sir,—Will you please allow me, through your columns, to express the regrets of the members of the lectures committee of the Victoria Gardeners' Association for the disappointment sustained by the very large number of citizens who journeyed to the City Hall on Wednesday evening to hear Mr. Robertson's lecture on "Modern Pruning, Spraying and Tree Grafting." How the meeting advertised for Wednesday by some one's mistake, was, under the circumstances, not held, no one seems to know; many of the members, myself included, had no knowledge of the meeting on Tuesday evening.

In order to do what we can to repair our mistake, we are making arrangements for the lecture to be repeated in the immediate future and for this purpose a commodious and comfortable hall will be secured. Notice of the time and place will appear in the press.

FRED BENNETT,
For the Lectures Committee.

Holland Avenue, Burnside Road, Strawberry Vale, B.C., Feb. 19, 1925.

H. M. S. Eaglet

Sir,—I was so interested in the photograph and notes on H. M. S. Eaglet in the marine news of Wednesday, February 18, that I spent an hour searching my old books of reference, navy lists, etc., back to 1818, with the following results:

This old wooden frigate has only been known as the Eaglet since the year 1918, previous to which her name was the Eagle. This change in name was necessitated by the launching of that fine aircraft carrier, H. M. S. Eagle, of 26,200 tons, on June 8, 1918, at the works of Armstrong, Whitworth & Company.

The Eagle was launched in the year 1804 at Northfleet, on the Thames, near Gravesend, as a wooden 74-gun ship of 2,340 tons. She was the fifteenth of the name, the first having been purchased for the navy in 1592. This old name carries the names of forty-five battles and fights on its roll of honor. From 1806 until 1813 she was commended by Captain Charles Rowley, R.N., and had numberless engagements in the Mediterranean both with ships of war and cities. In 1814 she had extensive repairs carried out and remained at Chatham in Ordinary until 1831, when she was razed or cut down to a 50-gun ship or frigate. She did duty as a coastguard ship at Falmouth, and then at Milford in 1858. In 1860 she was sent to Southampton water as drill ship, being moved to Liverpool in 1882 as drill ship for the newly-formed Royal Naval Reserve. For this purpose she was supplied with sixteen muzzle-loading guns on truck carriages. During 1910 she was transferred to the care of the Marsey Division of the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

During the Great War she flew the flag of the senior naval officer, Liverpool, when the names of hundreds of officers were borne on her books, most of whom probably never even went on board, as the senior naval officers' offices were at Colonial House, Water Street, Liverpool. Also, they were doing duty on numberless smart craft at sea, while others were doing inspection and transport duty on shore.

According to the Navel Pocket Book of 1898, the only other ship launched in 1804 then afloat was the Hibernia, of 110 guns and 4,149 tons, length 190 feet and beam 53 feet. She was built at Devonport, and for the last years of her life was the flagship at Malta. The two next survivors were the Caledonia, launched in 1810 at Chatham, as the Impregnable, of 98 guns; the St. Vincent, launched in 1815 at Devonport, of 120 guns.

The Navy and Army Illustrated of March 6, 1896, gives the following notes: "The St. Vincent was laid down at Plymouth in the year after Trafalgar, and launched with great eclat before 50,000 spectators in the year of Waterloo. She was one of three sister 120-gun first rates, the Nelson, the Howe, and the St. Vincent, named in honor of the three great admirals. Only the St. Vincent now survives, after having served as flagship at Portsmouth, and, in the 'Forties,' in the Channel and the Mediterranean. For the past quarter of a century she has been the Portsmouth training ship for boys, and in January, 1906, she hauled down the flag for the last time on ceasing to be used as a training ship.

F. V. LONGSTAFF.

Seabank, Gonzales Hill, Victoria, B.C., Feb. 20, 1925.

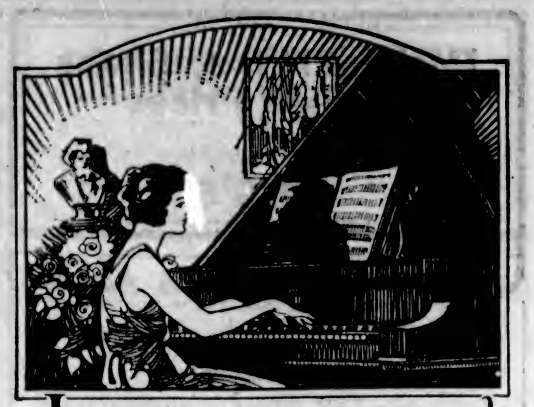
FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of February 21, 1875.)

Passenger List Per Steamship Los Angeles for Victoria—F. S. Kearsey, W. L. Bolt, A. Gardee, S. Keet, Jas. Burns, R. P. Rithet, D. D. Manson, C. C. Chapman, H. E. Simons, Jas Muirhead, John M. Lenehan, Captain Moody, C. F. Swan, Mrs. Huntley Leggan and family, A. Wolfe, Mr. W. Meston, E. B. Shew, J. B. Sturges, Mrs. Hassel and children, Captain Nugent, A. Wilson, A. R. Rowe, A. Travel, Mrs. Ashridge, Miss Dobelle, J. F. Maynard, and a large number in the steerage.

For Cassiar—About one hundred passengers are booked by the Otter. Mr. R. Hunter, of the Customs Department, goes by the same steamer to resume his visit at the boundary line. Mr. Johnston will start with the first mail of the season at the same time.

Reciprocity—The United States Senate, in executive session, had before them the draft Reciprocity Treaty between the United States and Canada. There were expressions of views. The treaty having but few, if any, friends, was rejected without a division.



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WANTS DIRECT ROAD TO CROSS ISLAND

Alberni Seeks to Have Last Twenty Miles Between That Port and Cumberland Completed

The necessity of the Provincial Government completing the road to connect Alberni with the east coast at Cumberland was explained to the Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday by Mr. E. M. Whyte, president of the Alberni Board of Trade. He pointed out that the completion of this road would give not only direct connection for tourist travel but would cut off a long trip for commercial men. In addition to this the road would come within easy reach of Strathcona Park which could thus be made a great attraction for visitors.

The group will consider this matter at its next meeting with a view to deciding upon what action should be recommended to the Chamber.

Mr. Whyte pointed out that of this road of 43 miles about 20 miles were already constructed. Of the remainder the greater part was through territory that was open and lent itself to easy construction. There was only a short distance of about six miles along Comox Lake that would be difficult of construction.

Nine Held at Tacoma in Connection With Murder

TACOMA, Feb. 20.—Paul Erickson, aged thirty, of Seattle, was arrested here today and placed in the county jail in lieu of $15,000 bond as a suspect in the killing of Harry Schmidt in a recent bank holdup here. Deputy Sheriffs Fred Ewen and Glen Barton, who made the arrest, said that at least one person had identified Erickson as the man who drove the bandits' car. With the arrest of the new suspect nine others are held in jail here in connection with the crime in which three persons participated.

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OBITUARIES

HUTCHINSON—There passed away Thursday evening at the St. Joseph's Hospital Evelyn Hutchinson, aged six years and six months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hutchinson, of Quadra Street. The remains are reposing at the Thomson Funeral Home, 3625 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place this afternoon at 2:20 o'clock. Ten minutes later service will be held at St. Andrew's Cathedral, Blanshard Street, when the Rev. Father Deeley will officiate. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

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was ever prosperous which allowed its mineral resources to be exploited by foreign lands and removed in the raw state. Mexico and Spain were typical examples of countries which had allowed its resources to pass out in the raw . ate, he said.

Raw Copper Exports

"Canada exports about $17,000,000 worth of copper annually in the raw state," he said. "She imports about $8,000,000 worth of copper products annually from the United States. How much better would it be if she finished that copper at home. For many years the International Nickel Company, which got control of Canada's nickel deposits, sent its products to New Jersey to refine. Not only Canada but Great Britain had to buy the Canadian nickel from the United States plant. We produce 80 to 85 per cent of the world's nickel within our borders. How much do we manufacture ourselves?

"We are too anxious to dispose of our natural resources. Our coal, iron, copper and other minerals are going to be very, very valuable some day. They are the greatest asset we have in British Columbia. Why should we send them abroad for foreign plants and labor to refine and finish?"

"Politicians" and "Statesmen"

A. McC. Creery, M.P.P., deplored the fact that young people of today were not applying themselves to studies as they should, and expressed resentment at the aspersions cast by two previous speakers on the esteem in which politicians are held. The original meaning of the word "politician," he said, was "statesman," and it should not be regarded as anything less today.

A. M. Whiteside, leading the discussion on the subject of taxation, stated that a tax on profit was the only fair method of taxing mines. "The policy of the Government should not be 'How much can the mines be made to contribute without being closed down,' but 'How can they be aided and developed'."

H. Mortimer-Lamb hastened to offset any impression that might go abroad that mine taxation in British Columbia was high, lest the report bar capital from investment, and quoted figures to show that mines in the United States are taxed vary much more heavily than in Canada.

It was a fact, he said, that many operations in British Columbia represent foreign capital and they were depreciating the Province's reserve of minerals. It was only right, he added, that the Province should decide to take a proportion of the returns from those operations to require it for loss of its ore.

George Winkler, of Victoria, veteran prospector, favored the forming of prospectors' syndicates to send men into the mineral fields of British Columbia to prospect. F. W. Guernsey declared that the prospector has not gone from the hills—"only the picturesque liars of the past who had prospected," he said, in conclusion.

Forest Fires in B.C. Number 2,000 Yearly

Intelligent Care of Timberlands Along Forestry Principles Necessary if Future Generations Are to Derive Same Benefit as Present From Woods, Experts Say—Two Thousand Canadian Towns Today Propped Up on Timber Industry—Jobs Burn, Not Forests

ONLY through intelligent handling of timber lands along forestry principles could British Columbia expect to benefit to the fullest extent from its forests, experts of the British Columbia Forest Branch told the Victoria branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada Thursday night at the Central School. The speakers were Mr. E. C. Manning, who dealt with "The Depletion of Our Timber Resources and the Practice of Forestry" and Mr. Thos. H. Wilkinson, who spoke on "Forest Protection." A third paper dealing with "Some Economics in Steam Plants" was given by Mr. J. H. Blake, A.M.E.I.C., also of the Provincial Forest Branch.

Mr. Manning traced the history of the lumber production in the United States and showed how the heaviest cut had originally been in the New England and Lake States and now the cut was rapidly increasing in the Pacific States and decreasing in the East. He went on to describe how the shortage of timber in certain districts had become so apparent that the United States conducted an investigation into the subject a few years ago and the evidence collected indicated that three-fifths of the original timber area had already been cut over and that the nation was using its timber four times as fast as it was growing.

He went on to show how the demand for British Columbia timber was increasing and how the production in this Province of all timber products had increased from about 1,400,000,000 million board feet in 1912 to 2,550,000,000 in 1924. Waterborne shipments of sawn products had increased from 147,000,000 board feet in 1920 to 530,000,000 in 1924. He quoted from the recent report of the Royal Commission of pulpwood figures which showed that Canada's average annual forest fire bill covering only the stumpage value of the timber destroyed and the cost of actual fire fighting operations, amounted to three to four times the value on the stump of the lumber produced each year in the whole of Canada. Human demand on forests, together with the loss by fire and by forest insects, constituted such a drain that only through the prevention of forest fires and the intelligent handling of timber lands along forestry principles could the Province expect to benefit to the fullest extent from its large areas of timber lands.

Two Thousand Yearly

Mr. Wilkinson recalled Sir Alexander MacKenzie's trip across the continent a hundred years ago, when only thirteen places were observed by the explorer to have suffered from forest fires. Today, on the other hand, British Columbia alone had 2,000 fires per annum. Two-thirds of the timber which originally covered the Province had been destroyed in this manner, he said.

"During the past five years we had 7,843 fires in the Province of British Columbia," said Mr. Wilkinson. "They have burned over vast areas and done millions of dollars worth of damage. Forest fires do not always destroy the timber outright, but they damage it to such an extent that the growth is affected, the trees are weakened and they are much more susceptible to attack by insects and fungi. In addition, a defect may set in which will lower the grade of the logs, if not placing them entirely below the quality required for the manufacture of lumber.

"The destruction of timber by fire, during the past 25 years, has undoubtedly exceeded the annual cut, and Canada has no timber to spare. When other countries reached the stage where their timber supply was exhausted, they were in the fortunate position of being able to import timber to fill their requirements. It is generally conceded that all the areas of useful timber in the world have been discovered and are being harvested. The only countries now exporting timber in any quantity are Sweden, Norway, Russia, the United States and Canada; and all those countries, with the exception of Russia and Canada, are cutting more than the annual growth. There is no new continent upon which we can depend for timber. If our supply becomes exhausted, as the older countries depended on America, Canada will not have to rely on others if the forest fires are checked; and these forest fires, which even to this very day are threatening our timber supply, can be checked if we all train ourselves to be careful with fire when in or near the woods."

Carelessness Main Cause

Contrary to general impression, said Mr. Wilkinson, forest fires were the most expensive method of clearing land. The intense heat consumed the humus of the soil, thus destroying the most valuable part of it.

Fire also killed the young growth, trees not yet old enough to bear and scatter seed, and so the chance of another timber crop was materially reduced. Forests also kept rivers in check, lessened the possibility of floods and thus increased the value of the streams for navigation, water power and irrigation.

Forest fires were divided in origin somewhat as follows, said Mr. Wilkinson: Logging engines or locomotives, 7 per cent; campers, 17 per cent; smokers, 15 per cent; railways, 15 per cent; settlers, 12 per cent; incendiarism, 5 per cent; unknown, 15 per cent. Such fires were all classified as preventable. In the non-preventable class only one agency was at work. That was lightning, responsible for 14 per cent of the conflagrations.

Eighty-six per cent of the loss by fire was due to human carelessness, said the speaker. No bland blather on the sins of the lumberman or petty stuff about cutting Christmas trees was needed. Two thousand Canadian towns were propped up, so to speak, on spruce and fir and pine logs. The man who took the view that a forest was a public trust, placed in a nation's keeping, not as a bonus for its spending, but as a legacy for generations to come, had said all there was to say on the subject of forest conservation.

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SAANICH COUNCIL NAMES COMMITTEE

WILL CONFER WITH CHAMBER ON LIME KILN ROAD

Estimate of Grading and Putting in Base to Highway to Butchart's Gardens Is $9,000

The Saanich Council last night appointed a special committee composed of Reeve Macnicol and Councillors Kirkham and Hagen, to confer with the Chamber of Commerce committee in respect to requested improvements to Lime Kiln Road, the highway leading to the entrance of Butchart's Sunken Gardens.

Representatives of the Chamber of Commerce recently waited upon the Saanich Council, urging that municipality to co-operate financially with the Provincial Government and Victoria in improving Lime Kiln Road. The council, after hearing the deputation, instructed its works superintendent to bring in a report on the cost of the suggested work.

Superintendent Girling informed the council last night that the approximate cost of grading and straightening Lime Kiln and putting in a base would amount to $9,000. Improvements to the present base, however, could be done for $5,000.

Members of the council appear to be strongly opposed to the suggestion that concrete pavement be laid on the road.

Works Superintendent's Report

The report submitted by Superintendent of Works G. G. Girling on the proposal for improving Lime Kiln Road was as follows:

"For a distance of approximately 1,400 feet west from the West Saanich Road, Lime Kiln Road is only 33 feet in width and if any extensive improvements were undertaken on this road provisions should be made for the widening of the road to not less than 50 feet, and preferably 66 feet. The balance of the road to the top of the hill east of the B.C. Electric right-of-way is 50 feet in width, and this portion of the road requires considerable straightening.

"I would estimate the cost of straightening and grading the road and putting in a base at $9,000.

"Improvements to the base of the existing road could be completed for approximately $5,000, but I do not think it advisable to put any large improvements or a large sum of money on the present road.

"In the above estimates, no allowance is made for any expenses which might be entailed in connection with diversions or widening of the right-of-way. The estimates deal only with that portion of the road from the top of the hill east of the B.C. Electric Railway to the West Saanich Road."

Short-Lived Ministry

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—Dr. Wilhelm Marx, Premier of Prussia, and the cabinet which he headed, resigned today after failing to obtain a vote of confidence in the Diet. The vote stood 218 yes, 221 no.

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LEADER STANDS BY HIS CLAIM

Mr. R. H. Pooley Charges Premier With Attempting to Cloud Issue Created Over Grand Forks By-Election

CONTENDS HIS POINT IS FOUNDED ON LAW

Reiterates That Speaker Buckham Failed in Duty by Not Issuing Warrant for Contest

"PREMIER Oliver is merely attempting to cloud the issue," said Mr. R. H. Pooley, Conservative leader, yesterday when shown Premier Oliver's statement relative to the alleged failure of Speaker J. A. Buckham to issue a warrant for a by-election in the constituency of Grand Forks-Greenwood when notified to do so during the early part of the sitting of the Provincial Legislature last Fall.

According to Premier Oliver, it was not necessary for the Speaker to issue a warrant for a by-election to fill the vacancy caused by the death on October 29 last of Mr. John McKie, Conservative member-elect. He asserted that Mr. McKie was elected member on June 20, 1924, and at the time of his sudden death the Legislature had not met and the late Mr. McKie had not taken the oaths necessary to enable him to sit as a member. Mr. Oliver claimed that Section 58 of the Constitution Act was enacted for the sole purpose of meeting just such a case and that the section of the act upon which Mr. Pooley had based his contention, did not apply.

Mr. Pooley pointed out last night that section 58 merely gave power to the Deputy Provincial Secretary to issue a writ for a by-election at the instance of the Lieutenant-Governor, between the time of an election and the next sitting of the Legislature.

Issue Clear Cut

The issue in the present case, he declared, was a clear-cut one provided for under another section of the Constitution Act, which provided that the Speaker of the House must, on receiving official notice of a vacancy in any riding, issue a warrant for a by-election to the Deputy Provincial Secretary, who shall, on receipt of such warrant, issue a writ for the holding of the by-election so authorized; and, further, that such by-election shall be held not later than six months after the date of issuance of the writ.

Section 60 of the Constitution Act, dealing with "Filling of vacancies where there is a Speaker," as marginal note, is as follows:

"If any vacancy happens in the Legislative Assembly by the death of any member, or by his accepting any office, the Speaker, on being informed of the vacancy by any member of the Legislative Assembly, in his place, or by notice in writing, under the hands and seal of any two members of the Legislative Assembly, shall forthwith address his warrant to the Deputy Provincial Secretary for the issue of a new writ for the election of a member to fill the vacancy, and a new writ shall issue within six months."

"Now, these are the facts," declared Mr. Pooley last night. "The House met on November 3. The first thing we did was to elect a Speaker. Then Dr. MacLean moved, and I seconded, a resolution of condolence and regret on the death of Mr. John McKie. A few days later the Speaker was again notified of the vacancy when the House passed a special vote to pay the deceased member's sessional indemnity of $2,000 to Mrs. McKie.

"Having been notified that a vacancy had occurred, the Speaker, under Section 60 of the Constitution Act, should then have issued his warrant. He has not yet done so."

"Playing Politics"

"Premier Oliver is playing nothing but politics and he is putting the Speaker in a very nasty position. He says that Mr. McKie was not a member of the House. If he was not a member of the House why did the House vote his sessional indemnity to his widow? The Premier is inconsistent. He quotes Section 58 as covering the case. But Section 58 says 'member' and not 'member-elect.' It is true that Mr. McKie was not sworn in, but what difference does that make?

"Premier Oliver has been trying to put something over on the public and has been caught at it. Publish both sections and let the people decide for themselves whether Mr. Speaker Buckham has done his duty. It is to be remarked that the marginal note indicating the contents of Section 58 is as follows: 'Filling of vacancies after general election and before first meeting of Legislative Assembly.' The last six words of this clearly show that Section 58 does not apply."

Section 58 of the Constitution Act is as follows:

'The Deputy Provincial Secretary may, at the Lieutenant-Governor's instance, issue a new writ for the election of a member of the Legislative Assembly, to fill up any vacancy arising subsequently to a general election and before the first meeting of the Legislative Assembly thereafter, by reason of the death or acceptance of office of any member, and the writ may issue at any time after such death or acceptance of office; but the election to be held under such writ shall not in any manner affect the rights of any person entitled to contest the previous election, and the report of any competent authority to try the previous election shall determine whether the member who has so died or accepted office, or any other person, was duly returned or elected thereat, which determination, if adverse to the return of such member, and in favor of any other candidate shall avoid the election held under this section; and the candidate declared duly elected at the previous election shall be entitled to take his seat as if no subsequent election had been held."

Mr. Pooley some time ago asked the Deputy Provincial Secretary if he had received a warrant for the by-election from the Speaker, as called for under the terms of the Constitution Act. The reply was a negative one, and Mr. Pooley wrote Speaker Buckham and asked if he had issued the warrant. Recently he received the Speaker's negative reply. It was upon those facts that he based his charges that the Speaker was either guilty of very obvious neglect of the duties of his office, or he was "playing politics" in the interests of the Liberal Government.

Mr. Buckham, who was elected on the Liberal ticket in the riding of Columbia last June, was appointed Speaker at the last session of the Legislature.

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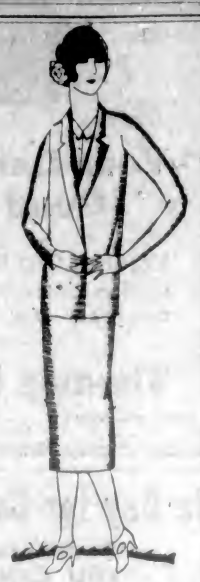

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URGE CONTINUATION OF LAKE ROAD WORK

Messrs. Ormond and Rogers Approach Saanich Council—Many Ratepayers Support Move

The Saanich Council last night was urged by a deputation, headed by Messrs. O. B. Ormond and George Rogers, at the Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, to make the necessary appropriation to proceed with the construction of Lake Road (Douglas Street) this year.

A petition, signed by sixty-two ratepayers of Lake Road, which was presented to the Council, read as follows:

"We wish to voice our appreciation of last year's Council for its appropriation of funds for the construction of Lake Road.

"Since the Local Improvement came into force we have consistently paid our assessments, and we have waited patiently for the municipality to live up to the agreement of the Council that passed the by-law; and seeing that the 1925 Council consists of the 1924 personnel, with the exception of two new members, and at least one of the new councillors is in sympathy with them, we do earnestly petition you to make the necessary appropriation to proceed with the work this year.

"The necessity for the road is obvious to a very large number of people, and we feel sure that it would open up a large section of land to small landowners and thereby bring in new settlers, who would make the land more productive and help in the development of Saanich municipality."

Opposition to the expenditure of any money on Lake Road construction was contained in a letter from the Saanich Central Ratepayers' Association.

The petition and letter will be dealt with at a special meeting to be held next week for the express purpose of considering estimates for the year.

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Libby's Happyvale Sliced Pineapple, No. 2 tin, reg. 35c. Now	25¢	Fresh Coffee, ground as ordered, per lb.	38¢
Or 2 tins for	45¢	Nice Shelled Walnuts, per lb.	35¢
		Quaker Strawberries, 2 tins	35¢
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		7 for	50¢
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Nestle's Almond Nut Bar, reg. 10c. Now 3 for	25c	Cowan's Chocolate Animals, reg. 25c box for	18c
Moonlight Marshmallows, per lb.	35c	Macaroon Snaps, 3 pkgs.	25c
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Good Onions, 6 lbs.	25¢	Ripe Bananas, dozen	35¢
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Miss Mebius, Native Daughter of Victoria, Dies After Brief Illness—Taught Three Generations

NANAIMO, Feb. 20.—Miss Lucy A. Mebius, a member of the teaching staff of the Nanaimo city schools for the past forty years, passed away at her home at 15 Prideaux Street, at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon, after a brief illness. The late Miss Mebius was a native daughter of Victoria and received her teacher's diploma when she was seventeen years of age. She taught three generations in Nanaimo and was generally considered one of the cleverest members of the staff, and was highly respected by all who knew her. She was fifty-seven years of age.

The deceased is survived by three sisters, Mrs. J. Brethour, Victoria; Mrs. E. Laurenson, Hayward, B. C.; and Mrs. W. E. Rumming, of this city.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been announced.

Student Killed in Duel

FRANKFORT, Germany, Feb. 20.—The president of the Nationalist students' fraternity, of Frankfort University, was killed today in a duel with swords fought on behalf of the honor of his fraternity. He had considered the fraternity insulted by his adversary

City and District

Violated By-Law—Wah Hing, a Chinese barber, charged in the police court yesterday with keeping his shop open on the weekly half-holiday, was fined $5 and $2.50 costs.

Kumtuks Club—The fortnightly luncheon of the Kumtuks Club will be held at Spencer's private dining-room on Monday, February 23, at 12 noon. Miss Clarice Gray will give a talk on "Swimming."

10th Brigade Reunion—All former members of the 10th Brigade Ammunition Column are reminded of the annual reunion which is being held on Saturday at 8:30, in the Arion Hall, 1004 Government Street.

Schubert Club Choir—At the recital by Dr. J. E. Watson's pupils, to be given in the Empress Hotel ballroom on the evening of March 5, the Schubert Club choir, under the direction of Mr. Frederic King, will be heard.

King's Daughters — The regular monthly business meeting of the King's Daughters will take place at 2:30 on Monday afternoon, when the annual daffodil tea plans will be discussed.

Did Not Report—Lee Won Yet, a Chinese second hand dealer, for failing to report the receipt of a watch, was charged in the police court yesterday. The case will come up this morning.

Liquor Charges—Charged on two counts with illegal possession of liquor, Fred Clarke was remanded until Tuesday, on the request of his counsel, Mr. R. C. Lowe, yesterday in the city police court.

Dangerous Corner—On the suggestion of Mr. John Harvey, the Tourist Group of the Chamber of Commerce will recommend that representations be made to the city to have the corner of Government and Belleville Streets made safer for traffic.

Royal Oak Services—Special services will be held tomorrow at St. Michael's and All Angels' Church, Royal Oak. Rev. Allen Greene, of the Columbia Coast Mission, will take the 11 a.m. service and a special afternoon service for men only at 3 o'clock.

Liquor Charge—Mabel Lawrence, of the St. Ives Apartments, was formally charged in the police court with having liquor in other than a private guest room. Her case was remanded until Tuesday at the request of Mr. R. C. Lowe, who appeared for her.

Get on Lists — Qualified electors who, by not voting at the last provincial elections, had their names automatically struck off the lists, are advised that now is the time to have their names restored to the register. This can be done by attending at the office of Mr. G. H. Mabon at the Court House. Both the city and Esquimalt lists can be checked up. Electors should lose no time in attending to this matter.

Lecture-Recital—At the Victoria Conservatory of Music, 1414 Douglas Street, the first of a series of lecture-recitals will take place this evening. "Rachmaninoff," the composer-pianist who is to appear at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Monday evening, will be the subject. There will be a paper by Mrs. J. O. Cameron telling something about his life and works, and different pianists will play some of his compositions. The next of the series will be a month hence, when Mr. Drury Pryce, principal of the conservatory, will tell something about "Fiddle Facts and Fallacies."

Dispute Over Contract — In the police court yesterday William Caron was charged with assault upon John Corris. An investigation into the matter showed that the accused had taken a contract to cut wood for the informant and had occupied a small building supplied by the informant. A dispute arose over the fact that the contract was not completed and complaint was made as to the character of the bed in the quarters occupied by the accused. The latter's version was that the informant in the case became excited and attempted to assault him and that he defended himself without too much force, being a much younger man than Mr. Corris. The case was dismissed.

Mission Circle—The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Mission Circle of First Baptist Church was held in the schoolroom Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. There was a large attendance to hear the splendid address given by Mrs. (Rev.) Knox, of Emmanuel Baptist Church on "What Christ Expects of Us." Mrs. Naider had charge of the devotional exercises and gave a very instructive Bible reading. Tea was served by the executive, Mrs. R. T. Elliott and Mrs. Haverstock pouring. The table decorations were daffodils and pussy willows. During the tea hour a unique surprise was carried out. The executive had arranged hearts upon which the name and address of a missionary in active service had been written, then the hearts were cut in two and the parts distributed to each lady present, the idea being to match the pieces and then, together, write a message to the missionary whose name appeared. A very happy social hour was spent by all present.

Passenger Crossing Planned at Shawnigan

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, Feb. 20.—The Cobble Hill and Shawnigan Lake branch of the Duncan Board of Trade held its monthly meeting in the hall on Wednesday night, with the chairman, Lieut.-Col. F. T. Oldham, presiding. There were also present, Messrs. F. T. Elford, S. J. Heald, W. Bell, S. Findley, E. M. Walbank and the honorary secretary, Mr. J. C. Rathbone.

A letter was read from the superintendent of the E. & N. Railway, stating the willingness of that company to grant a foot passenger crossing over the line at the south end of Shawnigan Lake station, and advising the branch that they are in communication with the Department of Public Works on the matter. The secretary reported that he had seen Col. Hodgins, Government engineer, in this connection, that the latter had marked out the place for the crossing and had shown him a rough plan of a public landing, to take the form of a float.

The road committee reported that the diversion on the cut-off, near Fitzgerald's Hill, had been cleared and burned, and that a construction gang will soon be at work on the road. Some work had been done on the old part of this road. They also reported a contract had been let to the General Trucking Co., of Vancouver, to gravel and oil the Island Highway, between Mill Bay and Cowichan Bay, work having already started.

A request was ordered to be sent to the Dominion Hatchery, Cowichan Lake, for 30,000 trout fry for Shawnigan Lake. The old question of clearing the outlet of the lake again came up for discussion. As no practical steps can be taken until the lake is at its lowest level, it was decided to defer action until conditions are favorable.

A letter to Mr. R. H. Pooley, M.P.P., was drafted, asking for information as to whether this district is to come under the Esquimalt division of the Public Works Department, and if so, on what date.

Japanese to Fly From Tokio to London Soon

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—Japanese airmen will attempt to fly from Tokio to London in May or June of this year, via Manchuria, Siberia, Moscow, Prague and Paris, a cable to the Japanese consulate here announces. Two airplanes, each carrying a pilot and an engineer, will make the flight, and a newspaper man will accompany them.

FIRST AID CLASSES

NANAIMO, Feb. 20.—A meeting of the local branch of St. John Ambulance Association was held last evening, there being large delegations present from the Western Fuel classes and the Nanaimo Women's First Aid Class, Lantzville and Pleasant Valley classes.

Mr. William Fulton, honorary secretary of Nanaimo centre for the past seven years, tendered his resignation, which was reluctantly accepted. Election of officers for the ensuing terms resulted as follows: President, Mr. T. Rutherford; first vice-president, Mrs. George Vipond; second vice-president, Mr. D. H. Simpson; honorary secretary-treasurer, Mr. W. Thorpe; executive committee, Mr. E. H. Patterson and Mr. A. R. Wilson (Western Fuel classes); Mr. R. N. Shields and Mr. J. O. Hindmarch (Lantzville class); Mrs. H. Smith and Mrs. Rutherford (Nanaimo Women's Class); Mrs. J. Dunbar and Miss Teague (Pleasant Valley).

Several encouraging remarks were submitted from various classes comprising the centre. Indications are that with organization of forces as completed last night much renewed activity is promised under St. John Ambulance auspices throughout the district.

It was arranged that the general meetings of the centre will be held every three months, and executive as frequent as necessary.

RATEPAYERS URGE REORGANIZATION

SAANICH CENTRAL BODY WANTS CHANGE IN WORKS

Would Have Council Place Engineer in Charge—Advocates Prepayment of Taxes Plan

Complete reorganization of the works department and the placing of a competent engineer in charge, was one of the requests made by the Saanich Central Ratepayers' Association in a communication to the Saanich Council.

The other three demands made of the Council by the ratepayers' body were as follows:

(1) Inaugurate a prepayment of taxes system such as in vogue in Victoria, enable the ratepayers to pay their taxes in January and give them a rebate.

(2) Spend no money on Lake Road, and before any more money is spent on this road, the Council inspect it.

(3) Take no action on sewer by-law until people in the sewer area request them to do so.

The Saanich Council referred the demand for works reorganization to the works committee for consideration. In respect to the request for tax prepayment, Clerk R. R. F. Sewell was instructed to bring in a report on the feasability of the adoption of this plan.

Municipal Clerk Sewell was authorized to report on the estimate of the cost of Lake Road, and the amount actually expended up to the present time.

The Council will assure the Central Ratepayers' Association that it will consult the people living in the sewer area before it takes any action in respect to the sewer by-law.

Winnipeg Loudly Praises Man Who Risked Life to Save Fellow-Workers

WINNIPEG, Feb. 20.—Winnipeg today has a hero, a man who Thursday risked his life to save fellow workers when a steam pipe exploded at the Canadian Pacific Railway shops. He is Herry H. Pickering, who was seriously injured when he entered the steam-filled powerhouse, and today tribute was paid to him in the Legislature, on the street and in the press. It was not the first time he had braved death. Thirty years ago he was awarded the Royal Humane Society's medal for saving a boy from drowning during a river flood at Birmingham, England. John Queen, Labor, Winnipeg, paid tribute to Mr. Pickering in the Legislature today. Had this happened on the battlefield, Mr. Queen declared, the hero would have been decorated with the Victoria Cross, and he felt that some public recognition of this bravery should be made.

Earthquake at Ottawa

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—A severe earthquake was registered at the Dominion Observatory last evening. The first preliminary tremors arrived at 8:14 p.m., Eastern standard time, and the distance to the epicentre was 8,700 kilometres, or 5,400 miles. The record continued for three hours.

Prince Rupert Elevators

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.—Work on a second elevator for Prince Rupert will begin soon, according to M. P. McCaffery, pioneer businessman of the Northern metropolis, who has arrived in Vancouver. Work has already begun on the Government elevator. The second elevator the city expects to have is a private enterprise backed by English capital.

Inland Press Association

ST. CATHARINE, Feb. 20.—Major H. B. Burgoyne has been re-elected Canadian vice-president of the Inland Press Association of America, having a membership of over three hundred daily papers in America.

MRS. WILSON AND DOG

One of the Canine Aristocrats Which Elicited Admiration at the Westminster Kennel Show in New York Was Roland V. Normanstein, the Prize German Shepherd Dog Exhibited by Mrs. Edith Derry Wilson.

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., February 20, 1925.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains abnormally low on the Coast, and rainy, mild weather is general. Snow is reported in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	40	47
Vancouver	42	46
Kamloops	20	36
Barkerville	26	32
Prince Rupert	34	44
Estevan	44	48
Atlin	6	12
Dawson, Y.T.	12b	6
Calgary, Alta.	8	14
Winnipeg, Man.	16b	8
Portland, Ore.	40	56
San Francisco, Cal.	52	58
Seattle, Wash.	42	50
Spokane, Wash.	40	46
Penticton	28	42
Vernon	28	30
Grand Forks	22	36
Nelson	32	38
Kaslo	32	38
Cranbrook	32	41
Edmonton, Alta.	0	4
Prince Albert, Sask.	8	4

FRIDAY

Maximum	47
Minimum	40
Average	43
Minimum on the grass	36

Bright sunshine, 43 minutes.
Rain, .12 inch.
General state of the weather, cloudy.

5:00 P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.46; wind, N., 10 miles; rain, .11 inch; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.48; wind, E., 6 miles; rain, .38 inch; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.44; wind, E., 4 miles; rain, .03 inch; raining.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.32; calm; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.44; calm; clear.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.32; wind, N., 13 miles; rain, .36 inch; raining.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.46; wind, S.E., 8 miles; rain, .15 inch; cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.50; wind, S., 4 miles; rain, .18 inch; raining.

Seattle, Wash.—Barometer, 29.56; wind, S., 6 miles; rain, .10 inch; cloudy.

San Francisco, Cal.—Barometer, 29.68; wind, W., 19 miles; rain, .46 inch; raining.

Quebec Bond Issue

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—An issue of $10,000,000 Province of Quebec 4½ per cent. bonds, obtained by a United States syndicate in competition with Canadian bankers, featured new offerings in the bond market today. The securities are priced at 97¾ to yield more than 4.65 per cent. They are due March 2, 1950, and are redeemable March 2, 1945, at 100.

Crow's Nest Decision

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—Decision in the Crow's Nest Pass rates case now pending before the Supreme Court of Canada will not be rendered before Thursday next, it is stated. Adjournment of the court has been made until that date.

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No Better Butter Made—Ask your grocer for fresh churned Salt Spring Island Creamery, now retailing at 55c per lb.

A. J. Gillis, M.D., D.D.S., has opened a dental office in the Campbell Building, Suite 503. Phone 3454.

Dr. Hugh Clarke, Dentist, 413-14 Central Building. Hours by appointment. Phone 1588.

School for Dressmaking. Phone 4189.

Boys! Look Here—

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Magistrate Discharges Accused Because He Had "the Dog Instinct"

LONDON, Feb. 20.—A curious story of the affection of a valuable retriever for the man who found him when he was lost and restored him to his rightful owner, was told in the London sessions today. This man is now charged with stealing the dog, because when it was again lost it made its way to the defendant's house and refused to leave. Judge Wallace maintained that the law was, if the man had "the dog instinct" and the dog liked him, that the man was not bound to communicate with the owner, even if he knew his whereabouts, and the defendant was discharged.

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New English Tea Sets
A new shipment of English China Tea Sets, just arrived from the well-known Aynsley pottery; all new and attractive decorations and shapes; 21-piece sets, including six cups and saucers, six tea plates, one cake plate, one sugar, one cream. Prices from $9.65

42-Piece Apartment Sets
"High-grade English" semi-porcelain in plain gold band decoration, open stock pattern; set consists of six cups and saucers, six dinner plates, six bread and butter plates, six soup plates, six fruits, one medium size platter, one covered dish, one sugar, one cream, one slop bowl. Price, per set for $35.75

97-Piece Dinner and Tea Sets
Three dainty patterns, an imitation Wedgwood with fluted rim and narrow band in dainty pastel shades and a basket of colored flowers as a centre-piece. Full 97-piece dinner and tea set. Price, $38.50
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Many Special Offerings in Drug Sundries for Today

Coty's Face Powder, full size; $1.25 value ..... 93¢
Guerlain Face Powder, $2.50 value $1.25
Guerlain Tooth Powder, $1.75 value ..... 95¢
Luxor Toilet Water, $2.25 value $1.89
Woodbury's Facial Soap, a Wash Cloth and Jar Cold Cream, 90c value ..... 75¢
Chamois Skins for car or household use. Excellent value at ..... 29¢
Hutax Tooth Paste and a guaranteed Tooth Brush, 75c value for ..... 63¢
Chase's Nerve Food, 60c value for ..... 43¢
Thermol Wool, English made; 50c value ..... 38¢
Allenbury's Baby Foods, large sizes ..... 98¢
Liquid Petrolatum, $1.00 value for ..... 83¢
Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites, $1.00 value ..... 83¢
Ovaltine Health Beverage, 50¢ 85¢ and $1.50
Virol, medium size; $1.00 value for ..... 78¢
Stearns' Tonic Wine $1.00
Wampole's Cod Liver Oil for $1.00
Pears' Soap, large size; 20c value ..... 2 for 33¢
Vinolia Palm and Olive Soap, 10c value ..... 3 for 23¢
Old Dutch Toilet Paper, 20c pkgs. ..... 2 for 33¢
Giant Rolls of Toilet Paper, 10c rolls ..... 4 for 33¢

Week-End Grocery and Provision Specials

Hudson's Bay Seal of Quality Creamery Butter, per lb., 44¢ 3 lbs. for $1.28
No. 1 Quality Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... 40¢ 3 lbs. for $1.17
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. ..... 22¢ 3 lbs. for ..... 65¢
Finest Quality Machine Sliced Ayrshire Roll, per lb. ..... 33¢
Finest Breakfast Side Bacon, per lb. ..... 33¢
Finest Quality Peameal Back Bacon, per lb. ..... 38¢
Old Canadian Cheese, lb., 32¢
Little Pig Pork Sausages, per lb. ..... 23¢ 2 lbs. for ..... 45¢
Kraft Canadian Cheese, 1-lb packages ..... 48¢
Dutch Edam Cheese, lb. ..... 50¢
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Quaker Brand Canned Tomatoes, No. 2½ tin ..... 3 for 55¢
Quaker Brand Canned Sweet Corn, No. 2 tin ..... 3 for 55¢
Quaker Brand Canned Standard Peas, No. 2 tin ..... 2 for 35¢

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Sweet California Navel Oranges, per doz., 30¢, 50¢ and ..... 60¢
Florida Grapefruit, 3 for 25¢
California Grapefruit, 4 for 25¢
Fresh Local Rhubarb, lb., 20¢
Head Lettuce, each ..... 15¢
Imported Tomatoes, lb., 30¢
Firm White Cabbage, lb., 7¢
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Smart Over-Blouses of good quality crepe de Chine and fancy tricolette, with or without collars; short sleeves; in shades of navy, green, saxe, sand and black. Also Hand-Made White Voile and Dimity Blouses, with Peter Pan, roll and tuxedo collars, long or short sleeves, tuck-in style, trimmed with dainty hand drawn work and lace. Sizes 34 to 52. Today's Bargain $2.39
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Cotton Hose
Made by Morley's, England, in wide ribbed style, elastic ribbed tops. A perfectly seamless hose in marl mixtures of grey, brown, fawn. Sizes 8½ to 10. Price, per pair 59c

Superior Quality Lisle Hose
In fancy ribbed effect, with wide hemmed tops, feet being strongly reinforced. In brown, Airedale, stone, dawn, grey, black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Price, per pair 59c

Morley's Artificial Silk and Wool Hose
With wide hemmed tops, toes and heels of wool. A perfectly seamless hose, in coating, beaver, assorted copper, assorted onion, golden brown, nigger, black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Price, per pair $1.50

Silk and Lisle Ribbed Hose
Full fashioned, with wide hemmed tops and reinforced feet. Shown in nude, camel, brick brown, silver, fawn and golden brown. Sizes 8½ to 10. Price, per pair $1.95

Fibre Silk Hose
In narrow rib style, wide hemmed tops, well reinforced, an exceptionally good wearing hose. In pearl grey, nude, brick, seal brown, camel, black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Price, per pair $2.00

Morley's Silk and Wool Hose
In check, with design in centre. A seamless hose in black and white, grey and silver, brown and silver. Very smart for sports wear. Sizes 8½ to 10. Price, per pair $2.00
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A Saturday Special in House Dresses

Made from good quality cotton crepe in slip-over style, with round or V necks, trimmed with neat embroidery or floral crepe; in shades of green, maize, peach, blue, grey, tan, lemon and apricot. Sizes 36 to 44. Price $1.49
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Hudson's Bay Crystal Orange Slices, per lb. ..... 50¢
Hudson's Bay Hand-Rolled Assorted Chocolates, creams and hard centres, per lb., 48¢
Hudson's Bay Black Mint Balls, per lb. ..... 36¢
Hudson's Bay Assorted Satin Cushions, per lb. ..... 54¢
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Excellent Values in

Silk Underwear

Fibre Silk Vests
Fine Quality Vests, opera top, straps of self material. Come in flesh, tan, white and black. Price $1.19

Fibre Silk Step-Ins
Comfortable garments in good quality fibre silk. In shades of flesh, mauve, beige; also black and white. Price $1.59

Spun Silk Bloomers
In heavy quality silk. Large roomy garments with gusset, in shades orchid and flesh. Price $2.98
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Novelty Gloves for Spring Wear

Novelty Chamo Suede Gloves
With one dome fastener, fancy petal cuff stitched in contrasting color; embroidered points. Come in beaver, mode, tan, black and white and all white. Sizes 6 to 7½. Price, per pair $1.00

Washable Chamo Suede Gloves
With one dome fastener, novelty turn-back cuffs with cross-stitch conventional design in Oriental colors. Shown in colors of beaver, mode, tan and grey. Sizes 6 to 7½. Price, per pair $1.25

French Washable Suede Gloves
With two dome fasteners, pique sewn seams and embroidered points; in washable colors of champagne, mode, grey and drab. Sizes 6 to 7. Pair, $2.00

Fine French Kid Novelty Gloves
With circular petal cuff, self stitched points, pique sewn seams, one dome fastener; in tan, beaver, pastel, black and white; sizes 6 to 7. Pair, $2.50

Fine Quality French Kid Gloves
With one dome fastener, fancy circular cuff in contrasting color; self stitched points. Come in pastel, beaver, mode, grey, black and white. Sizes 6 to 7. Price, per pair $2.75
—Main Floor

New Spring Neckwear

Collar and Cuff Sets
Of frilled Valenciennes and real filet lace, round collar and deep cuff style. Shown in ochre shade. Per set ..... $3.75 and $5.00

Vestee, Collar and Cuff Sets
Of fine tucked ecru net, trimmed with French lace collar in tuxedo shape. Price, per set $3.50

Tuxedo Collars
Of guipure and filet lace, suitable for wearing with coat dresses. Shown in cream and ecru. Prices ..... $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75

Peter Pan Collar and Cuff Sets
Of Valenciennes, trimmed with net; in cream and ecru. Per set $1.25
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Spring Hats to Wear Now

Excellent Value at $3.95

These charming Hats, specially suitable for present wear, are shown in the new high crown style in both square and round effects. They are made from fine corded silks, with ribbon trimming or soft folded bands of figured silk. Wide choice of lovely new colorings. A special value at $3.95
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A Few of the Many New Arrivals in

Spring Wash Fabrics

Silk Bourette
Woven from pure silk waste yarns, suitable weight for dresses. Shown in jade, mauve, saxe, peach, rose, brown, tan, navy, black and ivory; 36 inches wide. Per yard ..... 89¢

English Novelty Crepe
A heavy weight fabric with all-over designs. Choose from sand, henna, Copenhagen, helio and rust; 38 inches wide. Per yard ..... 98¢

Striped Poplins
Woven from fine cotton yarns with a nice silk finish. In colors of grey, mauve, tan, Copenhagen, steel, saxe and black, with contrasting stripes; 38 inches wide. Per yard ..... 98¢

Striped Broadcloth
A very popular fabric this season for dresses and blouses. Shown in cream grounds with contrasting stripes in all colors; 38 inches wide. Per yard $1.25

Silk and Cotton Marocain Crepe
Woven from silk and cotton yarns, in shades of mauve, pink, sand, orange, beaver, reseda, cream, grey, almond and white; 38 inches wide. Per yard $1.25

Brocaded Crepe
A closely woven crepe that will give splendid wear. Shown in shades of Copenhagen, grey, mauve, almond and sand, with self brocaded floral design; 38 inches wide. Per yard $1.25

Crepe Reviera
In two-tone effects. Choose from maize, sand, peach and ivory; 36 inches wide. Per yard $1.50

Cordeline
A heavy weight fabric in corded effect, suitable for dresses. In jade, tan, saxe, cocoa, paeon, champagne, rose, grey, navy, black and ivory; 36 inches wide. Per yard $2.45

Broche Striped Crepes
One of the newest fabrics for Spring wear. Shown in grey, Copenhagen, mauve, orange, navy, helio, brown, tan and cream, with contrasting colored stripes; 36 inches wide. Per yard $1.75

French Printed Marocain Crepe
Printed Silk Crepe in exclusive designs and newest colorings for dresses, tunics, ensemble suits, scarves, etc.; 40 inches wide. Yard, $4.75
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In excellent quality Paramatta cloth; absolutely rainproof. In navy and tan. Sizes 4 to 12 years. Price $2.89

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Brushed wool tops and ribbed skirts, turn-down collar and tie at neck, long sleeves. Come in colors of apple green trimmed with white, tan trimmed blue, coral trimmed white, saxe blue trimmed fawn. Sizes 3 to 6 years. Prices ..... $2.75, $3.50 and $3.95

Children's Reefers
In good quality serge, well tailored, lined throughout; brass buttons, emblem on sleeve. Nice weight for Spring wear. In navy and red. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Price ..... $4.75 Sizes 7 to 12 years, navy only. Price $6.75

Girls' Skirts
In good quality navy serge, well pleated; white cotton bodice attached. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Price $1.98
—2nd Floor

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Boys' English Caps, 75c

Smart One-Piece Caps, with pleated back, all silk lined, leather sweat band in front; in good shades of grey and fancy tweeds. All sizes. Price ..... 75¢
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Boys' All-Wool Sleeveless Jerseys $2.25

Universal Make Pure Wool Jerseys, in grey and heather shades; just what the boys need for comfort these Spring days; sizes to fit boys 8 to 15 years. Price $2.25
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Boys' Blue Serge and Tweed Knickers

Made from strong quality mixed tweeds and rough blue serge, in straight knicker style, with three pockets and belt loops; sizes 4 to 14 years. Price, per pair $1.25
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Men's New Spring Suits

With Extra Pair of Trousers, $25.00

Smart Business Suits of dark grey tweeds and other fancy mixtures, expertly tailored in two and three-button models. Perfect fit guaranteed. All with two pairs of trousers. A Hudson's Bay value at

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In Great Variety

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Suitable for millinery and dress trimmings; in black only; ½ to 6½ inches wide. Price, per yard, 15¢ to ..... 85¢

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In dainty designs, set with pearls, ruby, amethyst and aquamarine. Prices, $1.50, $1.95, $2.50 and $3.75
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New Lines in

Children's Footwear

Misses' Oxfords
In the new apricot and black velour calf, made on a nature shaped last, with stout welted soles and low rubber heels; sizes 11 to 2. Per pair $3.50

Children's Patent Slippers
Soft Patent Leather Strap Slippers, with padded insersoles on a nature shaped last, Spring heels; sizes 4 to 7½. Per pair ..... $2.00 Sizes 8 to 10½. Price, per pair $2.50
—Main Floor

New Brogues for Men

Just received a shipment of regulation Brogue Oxfords, in black and brown calfskin. Made on a most comfortable last; solid leather throughout. Round shape toe with double soles. A great value at, per pair $6.00
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Society and Women's Affairs

Delightful Concert

A delightful and exceedingly amusing concert took place in the Institute Hall, at Sluggetts, on the evening of Tuesday, February 17. The first item, a minstrel show, given by the gentlemen of Sluggetts, was a source of great amusement to the large and appreciative audience prepared to enjoy it. Under the guidance of Mr. Arthur Petch, the minstrels seemed to be supplied with an almost inexhaustible fund of wit and comedy, and their singing was delightful. The solo parts, taken by Mr. A. Petch, Mr. H. Creed and Mr. R. Sluggett, were much appreciated. This was followed by a Chinese musical revue, given by the people of both Mount Newton and Sluggetts. The scenery arrangements were in the capable hands of Mr. T. Haddon, who proved his artistic talents by the beautiful little setting that he prepared for the dainty Oriental costumes worn by the Chinese troupe. Mr. H. Rochon, the leader of the orchestra, deserves great credit for his training of the troupe, for both solos and choruses were all that could be desired; and the orchestra, gathered from both Mount Newton and Sluggetts for the occasion, much pleased the audience by their artistic rendering of the music of the revue. The solo parts, taken by Miss Florence Woodward, Miss Roberta Sluggett, Miss Evelyn Nimmo, Mr. A. Petch and Mr. H. Blakey, were all well rendered. Miss Hazel Fletcher pleased the audience with a dainty little solo dance, while the antics of Mr. Hugh Elford, magician, and Mr. Arthur Petch, wash Chinaman, convulsed the audience with fits of laughter. The training of the dancing and chorus steps was in the hands of Miss Constance Wright. The orchestra consisted of the following: Mr. H. Rochon, first violin; Mr. E. Rochon, 'cello; Mr. T. Walker, saxophone; Mr. Gould, cornet; Miss Lillian Walker, second violin; Miss Madeline Sluggett, piano; while, Mrs. A. Fresland officiated at the piano during the minstrel show.

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Miscellaneous Shower

On Wednesday afternoon, at the residence of the Rev. Father Wood, the Esquimalt Catholic Women's League were hostesses at a very successful miscellaneous shower, Father Wood, assisted by the president, Mrs. Kilgour, received the many guests. During the afternoon delicious refreshments were served, the tea table being tastefully decorated with daffodils and carnations; Mrs. Hutchinson and Mrs. Leonard presided. The following ladies had charge of the refreshments: Mrs. Pick, Mrs. Craven, Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. Burt Serving, Mrs. Swift, Mrs. Deucey, Mrs. Lapointe and Mrs. Kelly. Mrs. White and Miss A. Nyland received the many gifts. Among those who called during the afternoon were: Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Webber, Mrs. Fagan, Mrs. Grute, Mrs. M. Fagan, Mrs. Davie, Miss O'Flaherty, Mrs. O'Neill, Mrs. Hobson, Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Belleau, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. McLernan, Mrs. J. Nyland, Mrs. Tierney, Mrs. Meadham, Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. Allan, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Ryan, Miss Ryan, Mrs. Worden, Mrs. Castle, Miss V. Worden, Mrs. Woolley; Mrs. P. J. Sinnott, jr.; Mrs. P. Sinnott, Miss McConnell, Mrs. McConnell, Mrs. McKay, Miss McKay, the Misses Steinner, Mrs. Tate, Mrs. Muirhead, Mrs. W. W. Baines, Mrs. Doyle, Mrs. Madigan, Mrs. McManus, Mrs. Sabin, Mrs. Lemmax, Mrs. Scaling, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. Bellis, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Delahunty, Mrs. McCormick (Banff), Mrs. Hurst, Mrs. Devereaux, Mrs. O'Neill, Mrs. Moir, and many others.

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February Meeting

The February meeting of the Catholic Women's League was held in the library of the Bishop's house on Wednesday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. C. A. Sabin, in the chair. Mrs. Kilgour reported on hospital visiting which had been done by Mrs. Plumb and herself, Mrs. G. B. Martin and Mrs. Plumb taking on the duties for the coming month. Rev. Father Silver visited the meeting and gave a brief address on the plans for the coming bazaar. Mrs. W. McManus reported the result of the recent linen shower for the home of the Christian Brothers, and Mrs. Blair Reid was warmly thanked for her tireless efforts towards the success of the undertaking. Mrs. Ebbs Canavan gave a report of the sessions of the Local Council annual meeting. Conveners for the tag day on March 14, called for from all affiliated societies by the Local Council, were then asked to volunteer, Mrs. H. Eakins and Mrs. J. McCormick responding. Mrs. Cavin reported on the presentation to Rev. Father Wood of a testimonial on behalf of the congregation of St. Andrew's Cathedral. A large percentage of the League members went out to Esquimalt at the close of the meeting to attend the reception and linen shower being given Father Wood by his Esquimalt and Victoria West parishioners.

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Tea Hostess

Thursday afternoon Mrs. H. Leroy Burgess was hostess at a charming bridge party at her home on Victoria Avenue, and at the tea hour was assisted by Mrs. C. Walsh, Mrs. S. Groves, Miss Molly Bateson, Miss Aline Lawrence and Miss Thelma Burgess. The guests included Mrs. R. L. Miller, Mrs. H. A. Grimith, Mrs. R. H. Green, Mrs. R. T. Elliott, Mrs. Roland Christy, Mrs. H. A. Stuart, Mrs. G. Brown, Mrs. Brocklebank, Mrs. Maynard (Calgary), Mrs. O'Halloran, Mrs. M. Finland, Mrs. F. C. Dillabough, Mrs. R. J. Robertson, Mrs. A. D. Meharey, Mrs. F. M. Bryant, Mrs. J. H. Taylor, Mrs. J. Hunter, Mrs. E. N. Horsey, Mrs. Angus McKeown, Mrs. R. D. McCaw, Mrs. A. E. Micking, Mrs. R. W. Perry, Mrs. J. A. Griffiths, Mrs. P. C. Abell, Mrs. W. Duncan, Mrs. Lafon, Mrs. R. W. Powell, Mrs. G. Saults (Winnipeg), Mrs. A. Carter, Mrs. P. Linkiater, Mrs. Colgate, Mrs. F. Calvert, Mrs. C. Walsh, Mrs. S. Graves, Mrs. Kippen, Mrs. Walker (Winnipeg), Mrs. W. Cameron and Mrs. J. O. Cameron.

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Surprise Visit

A delegation consisting of members of the Catholic Women's League and the Knights of Columbus paid a surprise visit on Rev. Father Wood at his residence in Esquimalt recently. The opportunity was taken to present the former rector of St. Andrew's Cathedral with a purse of $203, the gift of Father Wood's friends at the cathedral. The presentation was made by P. S. Fagan, accompanied by a few words of appreciation of the work done by Father Wood during his time of rectorship, and expressed regret at his removal from the cathedral. Father Wood replied in a few brief but heartfelt words, and hoped that his friends would ever remember him in their prayers that his work in his new parish would be a success.

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Receives in Vancouver

Mrs. John Hart, formerly of Victoria and now of Vancouver, was a hostess at a very smart reception at her charming Shaughnessy home on Tuesday afternoon, when a large number of guests assembled at the tea hour. The rooms were fragrant with Spring flowers, while the tea table, presided over by Mrs. Walter Walsh and Mrs. Denis Murphy, was prettily arranged with Spring flowers, bonbons, and lighted by pink candles in silver sconces. Mrs. Hart looked very handsome in a gown of ecru colored lace over dark blue with jade necklace. Miss Aileen and Miss Kenna MacDonald, Miss Mary Reardon and Miss Kitty Walsh assisted in serving refreshments.

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Tea Party

Miss Gwen Lemon was a charming hostess yesterday afternoon when she entertained at a bridge and mah jong tea in her home on Belmont Avenue, a few additional guests coming in to tea. Among those present were Mrs. Jim O'Reilly, of Winnipeg, the guest of honor; Mrs. H. R. Hammond, Mrs. Dugald Gillespie, Mrs. Homer Dixon, Mrs. Cudemore, Mrs. Norman Yarrow, Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Glen Holland, Mrs. Herchmer, Mrs. Russell Ker, Mrs. Darwin, Mrs. R. H. B. Ker, Miss Innes Bodwell, Miss Angela Villiers, Miss Isabel Wilson and the Misses Peggy and Ruth McBride.

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Guest Honored at Dance

In honor of her guest, Miss Violet Hamilton, of Nelson, Miss Catherine Fraser, Denison Road, was hostess at a small but delightful dance last evening. Prior to the event Miss Betty Kirk entertained at a dinner party of twelve, her guests being Miss Marguita Nichol, Miss Marion Wilson; Miss Helen Holt, of Vancouver; Miss Angela Villiers, Miss Louise Campbell, and Messrs. Bud Allen, Tommy Lampman, Ronald Buchanan, Alex. McPhillips, Ross Wilson and Dick Wilson.

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Thirty-Fifth Anniversary

The thirty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Albion Johns was celebrated at their home, 1376 Richardson Street, Thursday evening, when a number of their old-time friends paid them a surprise visit. The host and hostess were showered with felicitous congratulations, and Miss Doreen Johns, a granddaughter, presented Mrs. Johns with a beautiful bridal bouquet on behalf of the guests. The evening was pleasantly spent in games.

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Mah Jong Tea

Mrs. Boyd entertained with two tables of mah jong at the Angela on Thursday afternoon, being assisted at the tea table by Mrs. Norman Rant. The players were Mrs. Hermann Robertson, Mrs. Lawrence Genge, Mrs. Russell Ker, the Misses Alice and May McLimont, Mrs. R. H. B. Ker, Mrs. Charles Wilson and Miss Bodwell.

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Bridge and Mah Jong

Mrs. Bessonette, Signal Hill, Esquimalt, was a bridge and mah jong hostess yesterday afternoon, being assisted at the tea hour by Mrs. D. A. Clarke. The players were Mrs. J. M. Ross, Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Parkes, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Basil Combe, Mrs. Arthur Nixon, Mrs. Oliver, Mrs. Warder, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Hutchinson and Mrs. Lawrence.

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Leaving for England

Mrs. J. D. Laurie, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dick, Wilmot Place, is leaving shortly to join Mr. Laurie in England. En route Mrs. Laurie will visit in Quebec. Complimentary to a number of her old friends in Victoria, Mrs. Laurie entertained at the tea hour Friday afternoon at the home of her mther on Wilmot Place.

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Dance Hostess

Mr. and Mrs. James Adam entertained at a very delightful dance last evening for the pleasure of their daughter, Margaret. There were about seventy young people present, who greatly enjoyed dancing to the strains of Ozard's orchestra. The supper table was daintily centred with daffodils.

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Visiting Vancouver

Miss Gladys Irving, "Buncrana," Terrace Avenue, is visiting Mrs. Harry Bray, Marine Drive, Vancouver. On Monday afternoon Mrs. Bray entertained at mah jong in honor of her guest, when a number of former Victorians were present, including Mrs. Chaytor Payne, Mrs. Leonard Andrews and Mrs. Brentzen.

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Visit Sound Cities

Miss Lillian Servos, of Edmonton, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Clibborn, Foul Bay Road, left on Wednesday afternoon's boat for Seattle. Miss Servos will spend several weeks with friends in Seattle and Tacoma.

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Brief Visit

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Orrock, of Montreal, are in the city today on their way to California. Mr. Orrock is principal assistant to the chief engineer and engineer of buildings of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

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Bridge and Mah Jong Hostess

Thursday evening at her home on Rockland Avenue, Miss Ines Carey entertained with seven tables of bridge and two of mah jong. Yesterday afternoon Miss Carey was a hostess at her home at a mah jong party.

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Return to City

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thornett and their daughter have returned to the city after visiting their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peacock, of San Francisco, Calif.

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Honeymoon Here

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Howe, whose marriage took place in Vancouver on Wednesday, are spending their honeymoon here in the city and Up-Island.

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Bridge Hostess

Mrs. J. B. Mercer entertained on Friday afternoon at her home on Fairfield Road with several tables of bridge, while at the tea hour additional guests were present.

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Gratifying Result

The gratifying sum of $104 was realized from the dance given in honor of Billy Muir's birthday, held at the Chamber of Commerce Thursday evening.

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Mah Jong and Tea

Another hostess of the week was Mrs. A. T. Goward, York Place, who had a mah jong tea on Tuesday afternoon with three tables of players.

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Luncheon Hostess

While in Vancouver, en route East, Mrs. C. P. Hill entertained at a luncheon party in honor of Mrs. Grant Hall, of Montreal.

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From Seattle

Mrs. Robert Gillespie, of Seattle, is a visitor in the city for the week-end, and is registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Short Visit

Mrs. Harry Bullen, St. Charles Street, has left to spend a few days in Vancouver, the guest of Mrs. D. P. Marpole.

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Bridge and Mah Jong

Mrs. Harold Robertson, St. Charles Street, was a bridge and mah jong hostess on Wednesday afternoon with three tables.

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Returns to Vancouver

Mrs. J. E. McIlreevy, of Vancouver, has returned to her home after spending a short holiday in the city.

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Tea Party

Mrs. McB. Smith was hostess at the tea hour yesterday afternoon in her Oak Bay home.

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Visits Vancouver

Miss Louise McWha is visiting in Vancouver and is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McWha.

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Visit Deep Bay

Mrs. Frayre and her son are visiting Mrs. C. Norris, of Deep Bay, for a few days.

A SMART SPRING ENSEMBLE SUIT OF TAN AND BROWN

The dress which forms part of this smart ensemble suit is of brown crepe de Chine, trimmed with the material which makes the coat.

This is a novelty cloth in tan. It is covered with thickly massed little loops resembling ratine, except that the loops are longer.

The long, slim coat is lined with plain tan, and the little collar is faced with brown suede to match the crepe de Chine. Most of the Spring coats have narrow collars of this type.

COLUMBIA LADIES THANKED FOR HELP

Rev. John Antle Speaks Appreciatively of Assistance Given Alert Bay Hospital by W.A.

An unexpected but welcome visitor to the Columbia W.A. board meeting held yesterday at St. John's school, was the Rev. John Antle, who was given a warm welcome by the meeting and was listened to with deep interest, as he described the new hospital at Alert Bay, into which the staff has just moved. Mr. Antle paid a tribute to the support given by the Women's Auxiliary, through whose efforts the various wards had been fully furnished, especially thanking the Girls' W.A. of St. John's, and St. Mary's, Oak Bay, branch for furnishing three of the rooms. The latest gift to the hospital had come from Mrs. Patterson Hall, who sent the united gift that was presented to her by the whole W.A. on her retirement as president of the Dominion board. At her desire a chapel is to be added to the hospital which, Mr. Antle said, would be a perfect example of a small Anglican chapel when finished. In addition to these gifts, Mr. Antle told of the presentation of an X-ray machine by the Indians of the district, who were showing a deep interest in the new hospital, and also asking for better education facilities as well as instruction in Christian teachings. The splendid work being done on Village Island by the two social service missionaries there, Miss Nixon and Miss O'Brien, was already having a good effect, the Indians of the other islands wishing to share in the privileges of their instruction.

A practical and helpful address was given at the noon hour by Archdeacon Laycock, who spoke on the ministry of women in the church, especially in connection with the training and education of children. The prime necessity of having teachers, especially for the rural districts, who have spiritual insight and influence, was emphasized. Such teachers would be missionaries in the cause of Christ, and their influence would be of far reaching value and importance.

At the afternoon session plans were made for the W.A. forward movement, which is to be preceded by united intercession. Prayers are to be printed in a form drawn up by a special committee, and will be distributed to the branches as soon as possible.

The diocesan president, Mrs. Belson, gave notice of the day of united prayer being held on Friday next, February 27, in the First Presbyterian Church at 3 p.m. She urged all W.A. members to attend.

Diocesan Officers' Reports

Three newly elected diocesan officers, Mrs. Eastwood, social service secretary; Mrs. Groyume, prayer partner secretary, and Mrs. Laycock, literature secretary, were given a warm welcome by the meeting. They brought in satisfactory reports, Mrs. Laycock presenting a kind donation to the Oriental work of the board from two friends in England deeply interested in missions, especially in British Columbia. Mrs. Fatt, in reporting the Dorcas work, asked for picture postcards or Christmas cards which could be made use of in the junior branches. They can be sent to her to be distributed.

Organizing Secretary Mrs. Dickson was able to report that the diocesan annual meeting had stimulated an unusual interest in the work of the W.A., and already three junior branches and two senior branches had been formed. Truly, the forward movement had begun well and early, she said.

The Columbia Coast Mission secretary, Mrs. Redpath, reported having sent four boxes of interesting reading matter during the past month, and took the opportunity of thanking Mr. Percy Wollaston for his help in packing and dispatching these consignments free of cost to the Columbia W.A. The meeting heartily endorsed Mrs. Redpath's expression of gratitude to Mr. Wollaston.

Mrs. Vincent was unanimously appointed to take charge of the life members' voluntary fund, and consented to act in that capacity. Dominion and diocesan life members are asked to notice the change of officer. Literature secretaries were notified that the study classes will be resumed on March 12 at 8 p.m., in the Memorial Hall.

By the invitation of St. Mark's W.A., the board meeting will be held there on March 26, and the invitation of St. Paul's, Esquimalt branch, to hold the April meeting there was accepted with thanks.

A vote of thanks was passed to St. John's W.A. for its kind hospitality, which included afternoon tea served under the direction of the president, Mrs. Marrison, with her staff of helpers.

Objects of Art Worth $1,000,000 Stolen From Hollywood Residence

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Feb. 19.—Oil paintings and antiques valued at $1,000,000 were stolen from the home of Martin Weinschenck during the owner's absence from the city for a few days, it was discovered on his return tonight, according to a report to the police.

Hon. T. D. Pattullo

PRINCE RUPERT, Feb. 20.—Hon. T. D. Pattullo, who sailed for Vancouver today on the Prince Rupert, last night held a conference with the civic board of works, at which he gave assurance that the highway from the city limits to Galloway Rapids would be pushed to completion next Summer. He said that he could make no promises as to the building of a road through the mountains to Terrace.

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KIRKFIELD, Ont., Feb. 20.—Fire which broke out today in the Kirkfield Inn spread to the postoffice, destroying both buildings, before it was brought under control. The Inn is a well-known Ontario hostelry, and was originally designed for the entertainment extended by the late Sir William Mackenzie and his family. The fire was fought by a bucket brigade. Damage will exceed $100,000.

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Overalls and Ginghams

"Y" LINEN SHOWER LIBERALLY HELPED

Annual Event Held by Association Brings Generous Donations

The annual shower to replenish the linen of the Y.W.C.A. was held at the association headquarters on Tuesday afternoon, the dining-room being decorated with Spring flowers for the occasion.

The committee in charge of the arrangements were Mrs. Nivin, convenor; Mrs. Grimison and Mrs. P. Elliott (who received the linen and cash donations), and Miss Curry, who with Mrs. Nivin presided at the teatable. Many friends called during the afternoon, including some of the members of the Women's Canadian Club.

The committee thanks the following for donations: Mrs. and Miss Brown, Mrs. Malcolm, Mrs. Mayhew, Mrs. F. J. Hell, Mrs. C. P. Clarke and Miss Gallagher, Mrs. Parfitt, Mrs. Piercy, Miss Hall, Miss Agnew, Mr. and Mrs. Wixey, Mrs. Stephen Wood, Miss J. G. McFarlane, Miss Dysart, Mrs. Drummond-Hay, Mrs. Forman, Mrs. Greenwood, Mrs. Manson, Mrs. McGregor, Mrs. McHardy, Mrs. J. E. Watson, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Fleming, Mrs. Colbeck, Mrs. Boyd, Miss Mary Piercy, Miss Wilson, Mrs. Brumpton, Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Laycock, Mrs. Rattaray, Mrs. Beckwith, Miss Hague. Cash donations—Miss Snyder, Mrs. P. Elliott, Mrs. Greenwood, Mrs. Grimison, Mrs. Vibert, Mrs. Piercy, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Putman, Mrs. Pilgrim and Miss C. Macklem.

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Armories Thronged for Big Conservative Ball

Masquerade and Fancy Dress Give Brilliant Effect to Event Staged by McBride Club—Lady McBride at Head of Grand March—Rewards Are Given for Costumes—Mr. J. M. Edwards Wins Automobile by Solving Puzzle

THE Armories last night were again the scene of the annual masquerade ball given by the McBride Conservative Club. It was held under the patronage of Lady McBride, Senator and Mrs. R. F. Green, Hon. S. F. Tolmie, M. P., and Mrs. Tolmie, Mr. W. J. Bowser, K. C., and Mrs. Bowser, Mr. R. H. Pooley, M. P. P.; Mr. Reg. Hayward, M. P. P., and Mrs. Hayward, Mr. J. Hinchliffe, M. P. P., and Mrs. Hinchliffe, Mr. H. D. Twigg, M. P. P., and Mrs. Twigg, Major Lyons, M. P. P., and Colonel Peck, M. P. P., and Mrs. Peck, and who attended by over two thousand dancers.

The president of the McBride Conservative Club, Mr. H. W. R. Moore, and the secretary, Mrs. Alex Monteith, with the various working committees, spared no pains and energy to make this ball one of the best ever given by the club, and one of the largest social events of the present season. Mr. W. H. Armstrong was in charge of the decorations, Mr. G. A. Turner was head of the floor committee, and Mr. C. Espley, of the refreshments. Owing to the illness of Mr. W. H. Price, Captain W. J. Cox looked after the sale of tickets.

The large drill hall where the dancing took place, was elaborately decorated with festoons of bunting and flags, the music being provided by the 5th Regiment augmented orchestra of eighteen pieces under Bandmaster Sid Rogers. Two rooms of the 16th Battalion were also kindly lent by Colonel Urquhart for cards, where a whist drive was in progress, for which cash prizes to the amount of $30 were given. Mrs. Connacher and Mr. J. Hughes looked after this part of the entertainment. A room was also provided for those who had not already done so to work out the crossword puzzle for a Chevrolet car, which was in charge of Mrs. Monteith.

By 9 o'clock the hall was thronged with dancers, the crowds being marshalled by Constable Bishop, who acted as master of ceremonies for the grand march, which was a very imposing spectacle, and so many and varied were the costumes that the judges had a very difficult time awarding the prizes for the different classes. The march was led off by Mr. H. W. R. Moore and Lady McBride, followed by Mr. R. H. Pooley and Mrs. Moore. The task of judging was in the very capable hands of Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Mrs. Tilton, Mr. G. W. Stewart, Major Bullock-Webster, of the B. C. Dramatic School; and Mr. Clifford Denham, manager of the Royal Victoria Theatre, all of whom have had much experience in this line, and as none of them is in any way connected with the McBride Conservative Club, there was no fear of any bias being shown in making the decisions.

The useful and attractive prizes were as follows:

A Chevrolet car for the winner of the crossword puzzle was won by Mr. J. M. Edwards, 2828 Inlet Drive.

Centrepiece, for best dressed lady, won by Mrs. Timothy, Turkish costume; gentleman, club bag, Mr. Miller Higgs, Roman soldier.

Best Canadian national costume, lady, eiderdown quilt, won by Mrs. McPherson, "Canada."

Best sustained character, lady, linen tablecloth, won by Mrs. A. Welsh and Mrs. F. Welsh, Colored Couple; gentleman, motor rug, Mr. Foster, Scarecrow.

Best original character, lady, cut-glass dish, won by Mrs. Ben Bowman, "Crystal Gardens"; gentleman, two sacks of flour, won by Mr. F. Jones, "Ursus Kermodei."

Best comic costume, lady, Danish vase, won by Miss D. Nearea, "Won't Somebody Love Me?"; gentlemen, half ton of coal, won by Mr. G. T. Mitchell, Hobo.

Best advertising costume, lady, leather hat box, won by Mrs. Frank Pagett, "Nabob Tea"; gentleman, sports sweater, won by Mr. F. W. Savory, "Savory's Seeds."

Best juvenile costume, under sixteen, girl, gold Eversharp pencil and pen, won by Edith Timothy, Turkish Dancer.

Special prize, lady, Mrs. F. Brydone-Jack, "Huckleberry Finn"; gentleman, Mr. W. F. Glover, Hod Carrier.

The Silver Spring Brewery Tripleta, the Misses Nina, Marie and Janet Smith, received special mention; also the Shamrock Twins, represented by Mrs. Kneale and Mrs. Birney.

The prizes for whist, which were, first lady and gentleman, each $7.50, won by Mr. Jacklin and Mrs. O'Connor; second, $5.50 each, won by Mr. Rennie and Mrs. Blackwood; third, $2.50 each, won by Mr. Lees and Mrs. Morley.

GIRLS CHORUS FEATURES CONCERT FOR TOURISTS

Tourists in the city were last night entertained in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium by members of the High School girls' chorus, under the direction of Dr. Hodgson.

Forty girls took part in the programme, and the chorus singing rendered was a wonderful advertisement of the talent of the younger sex in Victoria, being heartily enjoyed by the large number of visitors in the audience. Miss Moore, a very clever pianist, acted as accompanist.

The musical programme was followed in the usual manner by dancing, the Marion Hadley orchestra supplying the music.

The chorus included the following: Misses Anderson, Anderton, Cathcart, Cobbett, Christopher, Dickinson, Daniels, Ede, Foster, Gregory, Moore, Harris, Hocking, Horte, Jones, Margison, Rendle, Whitely, Richards, Robinson, Price, Schroeder, Scott, Warren, Munro, Siddall, Montaldi, Knott, Robertson, Welch, Penzer, Lorimer, Sprinkling and Marchant.

COLLEGE HEAD TAKES GUEST HOTEL REJECTS

That the principal hotel of a well-known Eastern Canadian city had refused him accommodation because of his color, and that he had thereupon stayed with the president of the university there, was a statement of Mr. Ariam Williams, graduate of Calcutta University, who was a guest at the Strathcona Hotel, last night prior to boarding the Empress of Canada for the Orient this morning.

Mr. Williams' ancestors were Brahmins. He himself is a Christian. He is returning to India after having spent five years in study at English universities, and after having made a lecture tour of Eastern Canada and American universities under the auspices of the Students' Christian Council.

Mr. Williams told the anecdote to illustrate his contention that prejudice against members of colored races exists to an amazing degree in the Eastern sections of the continent. He had not found any racial prejudice in England, he said.

WASHINGTON DINNER DANCE IS TONIGHT

Novel Celebration of Anniversary Will Take Place at the Empress Hotel

In making plans for the George Washington Birthday anniversary dinner, which is to be held tonight at the Empress Hotel, due consideration was given to the inclusion in the menu of special American dishes which were characteristic of the table at Mount Vernon during Washington's time. Just what these dishes will be is not disclosed, but they are certain to appeal to the palate of the novitiate as well as to the sentiment of the patriotic American. There will be a flavor of old Virginian days in the musical programme as well. Hunt's orchestra has been engaged to furnish the music, and between the courses at dinner will play some of these old tunes for dances. During the courses, concert music will be played.

The dinner programme will be informal, the chief items to be the toasts to the King and President. Dancing will take place between the courses and also throughout the remainder of the evening after dinner. Those who do not care to dance after leaving the dining-room, will be able to play bridge and mah jong in one of the ante-rooms.

Practically all the tables have been reserved, the parties ranging from six to sixteen in number.

Many of the stars have names of Arabic origin.

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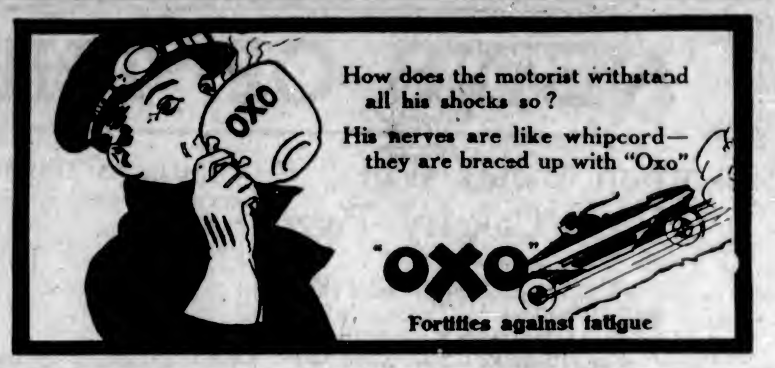

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COUNCIL REJECTS BOARD'S FIGURES

SAANICH BODY FAILS TO APPROVE OF TWO ESTIMATES

Opposes Extraordinary Expense Items —Cost of Tractors Per Ward Reduced to $10 Per Day

The Saanich Council last night took exception to two items in the estimates of the Saanich School Board for extraordinary expenditure, the sum of $5,000 for the purchase of property for Cloverdale School, and $250 for a lot for Tillicum School. The Council passed the Board's estimates for ordinary expenditure, approved the extraordinary expense estimate of $1,500 for furnaces at various schools, but refused to endorse the two amounts for the acquisition of additional property at the two above-mentioned schools.

The School Board's estimate of ordinary expense this year is $119,560, this figure being $207 less than the 1924 estimate. However, the Board's 1925 estimate for extraordinary expense, which is $6,750, is a big increase over last year's estimate of $800.

Trustees Thorpe and Holland appeared before the Council last night and answered questions asked by the members of the Council. The Council requested the Board to reconsider its recommendations concerning the purchase of the two pieces of property and bring its decision to the Council at its special meeting next week.

Councillor Vantreight secured the support of his colleagues in his move to bring about a reduction in tractor costs. His motion that in future tractors be charged only $10 per day per ward, instead of $16 per day, was passed.

Asks for Road Classification

The Council decided to ask the Provincial Government to classify Verdier Avenue, East Saanich Road and Beach Drive.

Reeve Macnicol and all members of the Council were appointed to confer with a committee of the Victoria City Council on the water agreement next Wednesday, prior to the organization meeting of the Victoria-Saanich beaches and parks committee.

The Council received the police estimates, which total $10,955, and also a recommendation for the purchase of a Harley-Davidson motorcycle and sidecar, at a cost of $650. These matters were left on the table until the next meeting.

Requests for grants by the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, West Saanich Women's Institute, the Salvation Army and the North and South Saanich Agricultural Association were received and laid over until the estimates are dealt with.

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URGE SAANICH TO PAY SEWER DEBT

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west sewer which was constructed wholly and solely for the benefit of Saanich taxpayers," said Ald. Todd.

Mayor Pendray said that Victoria had laid out the money and built the sewer, and some day Saanich would connect with it.

Reeve Macnicol of Saanich asked if the council had the legal power to set aside in its estimates a sum as requested without first submitting the matter to the ratepayers to secure their approval to such a transaction.

Claims Council Has Power

City Solicitor Pringle said that such power was granted to the council under an amendment to the act passed at the last session of the Legislature. He doubted whether this year's council could bind the 1926 or any other future council to place a sum in its estimates on account of the sewer debt, but claimed that each council, of its own accord, could make such provision in its estimates.

That the city was continually getting applications from Saanich people asking for the use of the sewer was Alderman Marchant's statement. These people, he affirmed, have stated that health conditions are not good as a result.

Reeve Macnicol pointed out that quite a few people had systematically voted against the by-law calling upon Saanich to pay the city on account of the sewer cost. He said these people had felt that something had been put over them. Councillor Kirkham observed that even if the Council had power to place a sum in the estimates in regard to the sewer debt, it must consider the opposition of many Saanich ratepayers.

The Council promised to consider the representations of the deputation.

Murder Case Adjourned

NEW WESTMINSTER, Feb. 20.—Mrs. Mamie Colich, accused of attempted murder of her husband, Paul Colich, at their home last August, appeared before Magistrate Johnson in district court, and the case was adjourned until next Wednesday, at 9 a.m. Mrs. Colich is alleged to have slashed the Hope man's throat with a razor and then to have attempted her own life. Colich was found in a serious condition and taken to a Vancouver hospital.

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Saskatoon Sheiks Win From Calgary Tigers

Now Tied With Edmonton Eskimos for Third Place in League by Last Night's Victory by Three Goals to Two —Interest Maintained Throughout, Though Play Was Ragged—One of Season's Cleanest Games

SASKATOON, Feb. 20.—Saskatoon rose to a tie with Edmonton for third place on the standing of the Western Canada Hockey League, by defeating Calgary Tigers 3 to 2, here tonight. The game was very ragged, but did not lack thrills, and the evenness of the score maintained the interest throughout. The Sheiks were badly outplayed at times. In the first period, they went strong until the score was tied up, and then they were lucky to keep the visitors from getting several goals. Although each team scored late in the second period, sensational goal tending by Hainsworth balked the Tigers in their efforts.

The Winning Goal

Fifty seconds after the third period started, Corbett Denenny received a short pass from Harry Cameron and skated the puck into the goal for what proved to be the winning counter. The Sheiks adopted sound defensive tactics thereafter and kept the Tigers from knotting the count, although the latter tried exceptionally hard.

The sixty minutes were filled with furious skating, hard checking and clever combination. At the same time, it was one of the cleanest hockey games played this year. In the dying minutes of the third period, the Tigers buzzed around the local goal like busy bees, but they could not score.

Denenny, Reise, Hainsworth and Scott were the best of the Sheiks, with Reise and the goalie leading the way. The whole Tiger team played fine hockey all the way.

Summary

First period—1, Saskatoon, Denenny, 10:55; 2, Calgary, Gardiner, 3:45.

Second period—3, Saskatoon, F. Cook, 18:20; 4, Calgary, Oliver, 1:25.

Third period—5, Saskatoon, Denenny from Cameron, :40.

Penalties

First period—None.
Second period—Macfarlane.
Third period—Gardiner, Mackey, Reise.

The Line-up

Saskatoon	Position	Calgary
Hainsworth	goal	Winkler
Reise	defence	Gardiner
Stevens	defence	Mackey
Cameron	defence	—
Lalonde	centre	Sparrow
W. Cook	forward	Oliver
F. Cook	forward	Crawford
Scott	forward	Wilson
Denenny	forward	Anderson
Gordon	forward	Oatmen
	forward	Macfarlane

MONARCHS SCORE ANOTHER COUPLE

MAKE TOTAL OVER VICTORIA TEN TO NIL

Amateur Hockey Championship Decided in Poor Display at Vancouver Arena

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.—Adding two more goals to the eight they grabbed in the first game, Monarchs plastered another coat of whitewash all over the Victoria All-Stars at the Arena tonight, and romped off victors, 10 to 0 for the round. The local brigade qualified to meet Nelson or Rossland in the final for the British Columbia senior amateur championship by their victory over the Islanders.

Tonight's display did not add any prestige to either team. The kingly crew did not seem to take the affair very seriously and the visitors failed to show anything better than intermediate class. At times it was not a good exhibition of shinny, but the Monarchs were at all times superior. They were faster, had more polish, but at that failed to show anything like the form which carried them to the top of the Vancouver league.

Stewart Real Busy

Harry Stewart was the chief stumbling block for the Monarchs. He had a real busy night and distinguished himself by his masterly performance between the posts. But despite Stewart's neat work, the Barker crew should have piled up a big count if they had shown any finish. Their passing was faulty and their shooting erratic.

Victoria presented a rugged team who liked to mix, and in the second period the few hundred fans got a real kick out of the actions of the athletes who bumped each other around rather strenuously, and Referee George Irvine allowed them to have a good time for the edification of the enthusiastic fans. Burnett, on the Victoria defence, was rather crude in his checking and was lucky to escape with two penalties.

The First Goal

Doug. Woods snared the first goal after a neat piece of combination with Rolly Palmer, near the end of the first period. The lanky Shew carried right through the Victoria team to get the other counter, early in the second period. Tuckwell and Matthews passed up golden opportunities to score for the visitors, Chapman making miraculous saves.

WEIGHTS FOR BIG SPRING HANDICAPS

Following are the weights for the Lincolnshire Handicap, to be run at Lincoln on March 25, and for the Grand National Steeplechase, to be run at Aintree on March 27.

Lincolnshire Handicap

The Lincolnshire Handicap, a sweepstakes of 20 sovs. each, with 1,000 sovs. added; for three-year-olds and upwards; the lowest weight may be six stone; the second to receive 100 sovs., and the third 50 sovs. out of the stakes. The Straight Mile. (Seventy-three entries.)

	Yrs	st	lb		Yrs	st	lb
Parth	5	8	6	Dinkie	5	7	4
Grillemont	6	8	13	Pandarus	6	7	4
Pondoland	6	8	13	Ryradael	a	7	4
Condover	6	8	12	Peas Three	6	7	4
Irismond	4	8	10	Blakhope	4	7	4
Evander	a	8	8	Irish Eagle	6	7	2
Mr. Bliss	4	8	6	King Willow	6	7	2
Lighthouse	5	8	6	Wykeham	4	7	2
Dawson City	4	8	7	Crimson Dawn	6	7	2
Tapin	4	8	7	Tranquillete	4	7	2
Green Fire	4	8	6	Torch Bearer II	4	7	2
Golden Hope II	4	8	5	Browaide	6	7	2
Jarvie	5	8	3	Darrach	5	7	2
D'Orsay	5	8	3	Argantbe	4	7	1
Black Prince VII	5	8	2	Grand Joy	4	7	1
Pasha	4	8	2	Brimaten	4	7	1
Arausio	4	8	0	Pando	4	6	13
Beresford	4	8	6	Celebrate	5	6	13
Great Barrier	4	7	13	Spun	5	6	13
Donzelon	4	7	13	Mardi Gras	5	6	11
All Green	4	7	11	Mademoiselle M.	4	6	9
Hellaster	5	7	11	Grave Fairy	a	6	9
Royalerer	4	7	11	Bishby	4	6	7
Duman	5	7	10	General Post	5	6	6
Insight II	4	7	10	Phantom Harry	4	6	6
Mignault	4	7	10	Li-Kwana	4	6	5
Chinsegoo	5	7	9	Souse-Trap	6	6	5
Torlonia	5	7	9	Dropane	5	6	4
Peddy	4	7	8	Signet	6	6	2
Fleet Cloud	4	7	7	L.R.D.	4	6	1
Karl	5	7	7	Piper's Son	5	6	0
Waygood	5	7	6	Seeker	4	6	0
Sunny Rose	5	7	6	Guinea Stamp	a	6	0
Carryduff	5	7	5				
Argela	5	7	5				
Westmead	6	7	5				
Hurrybelle	4	7	4				

The Grand National

The Grand National Steeplechase (handicap) of 100 sovs. each, with 5,000 sovs. (including a trophy value 200 sovs.) added; for five-year-olds and upwards; second to receive 700 sovs., third 400 sovs., and the fourth 150 sovs. from the stakes. Grand National course (about four miles and 856 yards). Sixty-four entries.

	Yrs	st	lb		Yrs	st	lb
Silvo	a	13	7	Thrown In	a	10	5
Alcazar	a	13	5	Gracious Gift	a	10	5
Music Hall	a	12	8	Dwerf of the Forest	a	10	3
Herald I.	a	11	12	Royal Edgar	a	10	7
Old Tay Bridge	a	11	12	Keep Cool	a	10	7
Fly Mask	a	11	11	Duke's Walk	a	10	6
Conjuror II	a	11	7	Mainsail	a	10	5
Sergeant Murphy	a	11	7	Chlestown	a	10	5
Ballinode	a	11	6	Ardgour	a	10	5
Eureka II	a	11	5	Upper Rathduff	a	10	4
Max	a	11	5	Drifter	a	10	3
Gorey	a	11	5	Fencoed	a	10	2
Chin Chin	a	11	4	Ballymacrory	a	10	2
Super Man	a	11	4	Saddler Bill	a	10	0
White Surrey II	a	11	4	Rossham	a	10	0
Royal Chancellor	a	11	3	All White	a	10	0
Rathory	a	11	5	L'Aiglon II	a	10	0
Bob Urochan	a	11	2	Cyptical	a	10	0
Ardean	a	11	2	John V	a	10	0
Spria	a	11	2	Prudhomme	a	10	0
Arravale	a	11	0	Peter the Piper	a	10	0
Winnail	a	11	0	Tullylost	a	10	0
Petsey V	a	10	13	Ballavalley	a	10	0
The Bleeks	a	10	12	Mirandist	a	10	0
Armenal	a	10	10	Kickwhelpington	a	10	0
Item	a	10	10	Jack Horner	a	10	0
Ula Luck	a	10	10	Calibre	a	10	0
Punt Gun	a	10	8	Castleton	a	10	0
Double Chance	a	10	9	Gardenalb	a	10	0
Buddyview	a	10	9	James Flux	a	10	0
Taffytus	a	10	9	Thirty-bob	a	10	0
Madrigel	a	10	5	Rabbit II	a	10	0

NELSON BEATS TRAIL

NELSON, Feb. 20.—Nelson seniors last night defeated Trail seniors, 4-2, in the second of the three extra games to dissolve the triple tie in the West Kootenay Hockey League. Trail is now eliminated, and Rossland and Nelson are finalists for Saturday.

Rising Generation of Victoria Rugby Players

The above picture was taken following the exhibition school rugby game played by the Boys' Central and a team picked from Oaklands, South Park and George Jay, prior to the All-Blacks-Victoria game at the Willows last Wednesday. Magistrate George Jay, in the first year that a school rugby league has been in progress, is seen congratulating the boys on their able showing, before handing The Colonist Cup over to Mr. Robert McInnes, chairman of the sports committee, in whose charge it will rest until the league has been decided.

Great Britain Plays Canada in Finals Of Hockey at Paris

PARIS, Feb. 20.—Canada and Great Britain have both earned the right to enter the finals of the international ice hockey tournament here, to be played off today. The British team this afternoon defeated France 3 to 2. The Canadians yesterday took Switzerland into camp by 11 to 2.

LADYSMITH FIVE COMING TONIGHT

Intermediate "B" Sunday School Basketball League Champions Will Meet Visitors at Memorial Hall

A good programme of games is billed for tonight at the Memorial Hall in the Sunday School basketball series. A special attraction will be the visit to the city of the Ladysmith Intermediates, who are coming down to meet the winners of the Intermediate "B" Sunday School League in an exhibition match. Judging from Up-Island reports, the Ladysmith boys are a very fast bunch, and have been playing well in their home matches. They have been anxious to come to Victoria for some time, and the opportunity has been given them of meeting the local St. Andrew's Intermediates.

St. Andrew's lads recently won the local intermediate honors, and are now keen to see how they compare with outside teams. The game tonight should be an exceptionally fast one. Bob Addie, Tom Little, Stewart Smith, Charlton Smith, Bob Smith and Jack Browne will line up for St. Andrew's.

St. Aidan's girls from Cedar Hill are playing the Metropolitans in the intermediate girls' division. The Mets have been going nicely lately and are looked upon as possible champions next season if they keep up the speed they have been showing. The St. Aidan's are also a fine, well-balanced team, and will give the Mets a very hard game.

St. Andrew's senior men will try conclusions with the Onwegos from First Presbyterian Church, and a good hard game is expected.

Gordie Sword, Yeomans, McReadie, Saunders and Bell are with the Onwegos. Wood, Erickson, Pillar, Smith, Muir and Estlin will play for St. Andrew's.

Tonight's games are as follows:

6:30—Intermediate girls, St. Aidan's vs. Metropolitans.

7:15—Intermediate boys, Christ Church vs. Condors.

8:00—Senior men, St. Andrew's vs. Onwegos.

8:50—Intermediate boys (exhibition), St. Andrew's vs. Ladysmith.

9:30—Intermediate "A," St. Mark's vs. Outlaws.

Next Tuesday's games are as follows:

Intermediate girls, St. Andrew's vs. Congos.

Intermediate girls, Axioms vs. Harmony.

Senior girls, Fidelis vs. Metropolitans.

Intermediate "A," Falcons vs. Metropolitans.

Ski Record Holder To Jump at Montreal

MONTREAL, Feb. 20.—Nels Nelson, holder of the world's longest ski jump, will in all probability be one of the features of the international ski jumps to be held here on Saturday. Nelson recently made a new world's record of 240 feet at Revelstoke, B. C. The previous long distance record was held by Henry Hall, of Detroit, who jumped 202 feet.

The foremost ski jumpers of Canada and the United States are entered.

Skating Championship Won by Cecil Smith

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—Miss Cecil Eustace Smith, of Toronto, who last year represented Canada at the Olympic games, tonight won the Canadian ladies' singles skating championship.

Waterloo Cup Is Won by Pentonville

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 20.—The Waterloo Cup for dogs, the Derby of the coursing world, for £500, contested here today, was won by H. Pilkington's Pentonville, which beat Bell Irving's Lawmen in the final course. Pentonville, which started a near favorite in the early round, won his various heats with comparative ease, and maintained his form to the final run.

Winnipeg Cadets Win Rifle Competitions

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—The junior shield in the Imperial rifle competitions in 1924, open to boy marksmen of the whole Empire, has been won by the Canadian Machine Gun Brigade Corps of Winnipeg, and for the first time since the inception of the competitions, in 1910, a Canadian team has won a shield.

The Winnipeg cadets also won the Governor-General's challenge cup, awarded to the most efficient unit in Canada.

TODAY'S SOCCER

First Division soccer games to be played today are as follows:

United Services vs. North Wards, at Royal Athletic Park; referee, Saunders.

Victoria Wests vs. Veterans, at Beacon Hill; referee, Payne.

Sons of England vs. Esquimalt, at Work Point; referee, Oliver.

Kick-off in all matches at 2:30.

Line-ups are as follows:

United Services—Weir; Grimes and Allen; Hawkes, Spiers and Robinson; Cummings, Whiting, Coulter, Ward and Cozier.

Victoria Wests—Shandley, A. N. Other, Copas, Popham, Thomas, McIntyre, Baker, Muir, Mulcahy, Wright and Sherratt.

Veterans—Bridges, Bell, Meredith, Rowe, Preston, Fanthorpe, H. Cummings, Kelman, Southern, Merfield, Clarkson, Fetch, Erskine and Brown. Players are asked to be at the clubrooms not later than 1:45 o'clock.

Sons of England—Knox; Armitage and Campbell; Reg. Shanks, Swan and Sid. Phillips; Connerton, E. Phillips, Burns, Minnis and Shanks.

North Wards—Cummings, Taylor, Brynjolfson, Kroeger, McKinnon, Wale, Easler, Jim Cummings, Auchinvole, Quinton, Roberts and Allan. Reserves, Motion and Dowds.

ALBIONS AND VILLAS PLAYING IN FEATURE

League Leaders Expected to Maintain Their Winning Stride In Third Cup Round Today

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The most interesting game in the third round of the English Football Association Cup is undoubtedly claimed by the Midlands where, at Hawthorn Park, the two rivals, West Bromwich Albion and Aston Villa meet. West Bromwich are leaders in the English League and they have set themselves all out to establish for the third time in history the record of winning both the league and the cup honors. Tradition counts for a great deal in these contests, but it is unlikely that the Albion will be put out of their stride.

All the stand seats in the Tottenham Hotspurs game were sold days ago. An enormous crowd is expected to turn out to witness the great tussle between the Spurs and Blackburn Rovers. Curiously enough, there are two games in the third round slated to take place in the Metropolis, and each game is between a London and a Lancashire team. West Ham are drawn against Blackpool. Tottenham Hotspurs will field the same aggregation that defeated Bolton Wanderers in the second round, with the exception that Thompson replaces Osborne.

Blackburn Rovers will furnish stout opposition, but they will have to display better form than they have shown in the last three matches that were required to eliminate Portsmouth.

West Ham are the only First Division club not drawn against a team in the senior string. It cannot be assumed, however, their task is an easy one. Blackpool's reputation is that they are not only particularly hard fighters, but also that they are a clever and consistent side. Young, who has recovered from his injury received in the tie against Arsenal, returns to West Ham. Southampton's task in team selection has been complicated by injuries, and they will not likely be at full strength.

Notts County are confident that they will be able to defeat Cardiff City. The Welsh team will be without the services of Len Davies, and Evens may be unable to play owing to an injury.

Hull is the scene of another intensely absorbing game, when the City encounter Leicester, the conqueror of Newcastle United, the present cup-holders.

ALBERTA POLO TEAM LOSES AT CORONADO

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 20.—In its first appearance on the Coronado polo fields, the Tenth United States Cavalry four defeated the Virginia Ranch, Alberta, team today by a score of nine goals to seven.

In the early part of the contest it looked like an overwhelming victory for the soldiers. Up to the fifth period the Canadians were only able to score three to the cavalry's nine. From that time on, Virginia Ranch displayed a reversal of form, holding its opponents scoreless in the last periods and scoring four goals in the sixth chukker.

The winner will play the Coronado Country Club team on Monday afternoon.

Following is the score:

Cavalry—	Goals
Lieut. Basil Thayer	3
Capt. James Taylor	3
Lieut. John Healy	4
Lieut. W. Biddle	0
Total	9
Virginia Ranch—	
F. H. Wilmots	1
J. Rodgers	2
W. H. Martin	3
T. B. Jenkinson	2
Total	7

VICTORIA GOLF CLUB

The ladies' monthly bogey competition was played on the Oak Bay links of the Victoria Golf Club yesterday. Mrs. Rithet was the winner in A class, all square, and Mrs. Hedley in B class, one up.

Gibbons and Wills Agree to a Match At Charity Show

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Tommy Gibbons and Harry Wills, the two outstanding contenders for the world's championship, have agreed to meet at the Milk Fund charity bouts here next Summer, it was announced tonight.

Gibbons agreed to the match some time ago, but Wills, through his manager, Paddy Mullins, accepted the terms of the promoters today. The bout, which will be held in one of New York's baseball parks, will be scheduled for fifteen rounds, and the winner will be matched later in the Summer for a title bout with Dempsey, providing the champion agrees to fight once more before retiring. The milk fund matches are promoted by a New York newspaper.

English Racquet Stars Beaten at New York

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The British threat to the American racquets crown was eliminated today when N. C. O. Williams and J. C. Simpson, stars of the Queen's club, London, and the only foreign entrants, met defeat in the second round of the singles tournament at the Racquet and Tennis Club.

Simpson was defeated by Stanley Pearson, of Philadelphia, 15-4, 15-5, 15-7. Williams was beaten by Hewitt Morgan, of New York, 11-15, 9-15, 15-12, 15-5, 15-9.

Jay Gould, of Philadelphia, the national court tennis king, was eliminated by Stanley G. Mortimer, of New York, 15-9, 15-6, 15-9.

GRASS HOCKEY

Today there is a grass hockey game at Oak Bay Park at 2:30. As far as possible the side chosen to play against the combined Country XI on the 28th inst. will play against The Rest.

St. Goddard Winner Of Second Leg of Quebec Dog Derby

QUEBEC, Feb. 20.—Emil St. Goddard, driving the Franquelin Lumber Company entry, from The Pas, won the second leg of the Eastern International dog sled derby here today, completing the forty-mile course in four hours, 28 minutes and 35 seconds, nearly three minutes ahead of his nearest competitor.

The leading teams finished in the following order in point of time: Franquelin Lumber Company (St. Goddard), 4:28:35; Holt Renfrew (Theriff), 4:30:28; Gulf Paper & Pulp (F. Dupuis), 4:34:35; Pieter Chevrette, Quebec (Chevrette), 4:34:30; Arthur T. Welden, Berlin, N.H. (Walden), 4:48:10; Laporte Martin (Montreal) (Beauvois), 4:48:35; Ontario Pulp & Paper, Thorold, Ont. (Brydges), 4:57:05; William Russick, The Pas (Russick), 4:57:30.

WORLD'S CHAMPS PLAYING TONIGHT

COLONIST ROLLER HOCKEY TEAM IN ACTION

Will Oppose V.I. Sheiks in Feature Game of Evening—Two Other Good Contests

Three of the best roller hockey games of the season are scheduled for this evening at the V.I.A.A. gymnasium, corner of Catherine and Henry Streets, Victoria West, and it is expected that a record crowd of fans will be present to see their favorites in action.

The first game will be in the midget class, when the V.I. Midgets, holders of the world's championship and Semi-Ready Cup, will be opposed by the crack team of kiddies playing under the name of Heulstein Street Midgets. Both of these teams have won all of their games to date, and it is expected that a splendid contest will be witnessed.

The second game on the programme is at unrestricted weights, the competing teams being Fritz's Wonders and Oakland Acorns. This will be the first time these teams have met, and as they have earned for themselves a record for furious and fast skating and expert stickhandling, the game ought to prove to be a stubborn contest.

The Feature

The feature of the evening will be in the unrestricted weight class between the crack 185-pound Colonist team, holders of the world's and other championships, and Spalding Cup, and the crack V.I. Sheiks, made up of old V.I. Hornet and Times players. It is confidently expected that this game will prove to be the most thrilling encounter that has been staged this season. Both teams have on their line-up expert stickhandlers and skaters, who are in condition to travel at top speed through the whole game, and, as it is expected that the winning team will have the chance of playing the Seattle team for the Northwest championship, both sides will put up their very best effort in order to win the game. The line-up will be as follows:

Colonist		V.I. Sheiks
D. Castro	goal	Mitchell
Rickenson	defence	Kasson
Bothwell	defence	Whitley
Delehunty	forward	Zolck
Mawhinney	forward	Bissell
McConnell	forward	Mowry
Tyrrell	forward	Forde
McPhee	forward	Brooks
Gibson	sub.	Paterson

UPLANDS GOLF

First Competition Since Fire to Be Played Tomorrow—Men's Handicap Medal Round

A men's eighteen-hole medal competition is to be played at the Uplands Golf Club tomorrow, with full handicap allowed. Post entries will be taken, and all players must tee off before noon. Light refreshments will be obtainable at the new professional's shop, now completed, which is serving as a temporary club house.

Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

The main interest in Victoria sport remaining for the fag end of the Winter lies in the last lap of the professional hockey race, in which the COUGARS have so far shown up so well.

If only they can keep it up to the very end the British Columbia Capital's chances of being able to boast of a world's championship are not so very remote.

Vancouver, as usual, has been making a hard fight in the latter half of the race, and the reappearance of Lehman in their goal was the signal for a useful spurt, but this time it looks as if Victoria is going to show their old rivals a clean pair of heels.

The Old 'Un learns with interest that the oarsmen of the J.B.A.A. have sent to England for a pair of four-oared boats rigged in English fashion and built with a seat for a coxswain.

This is all to the good. Coxswainless rowing is all very well in its way, but it is for the finished oarsmen, certainly not for the tyro.

And even for the expert the local waters on which the crews have to train and race do not lend themselves over well to rowing without a cox.

It is quite a different matter rowing without a cox on a river where there are long straightaways and the member of the crew who is steering with his feet can take a mark and keep it for a long distance, but, when he has to be looking round all the time to see whether he is running into a log or a tug or a swimmer or any of the various refuse which collects in harbor waters, it is a different matter.

Not only does it upset his own rowing, but it upsets the rowing of the whole crew, destroys its rhythm and takes an enormous precentage from its effectiveness.

In coxwainless races on at least one English river the steerer usually has the assistance of a man running or riding on the bank who helps him and prevents the necessity of his frequently looking behind him by shouting "in" or "out" as the case may be.

Here's hoping the new departure may spell a big success and that J.B.A.A. rowing will benefit greatly thereby.

We certainly have abundance of excellent raw material here out of which to make good oarsmen.

Comparisons are odious, but the Old 'Un cannot help pointing out that if the policy of charging popular prices of admission to important sporting events had been followed in some other cases the results might have been almost as gratifying as at the All-Blacks-Victoria match.

If the charge had been twice as much, it is doubtful if the attendance would have been nearly half as great.

SENIOR FIFTEENS IN ACTION TODAY

TWO OUT-OF-TOWN INTERMEDIATE KNOCKOUT GAMES

Boys Play Services at Willows—Tillicums and Wanderers Meet at Oak Bay—Start 3 o'Clock

Now that the "All-Blacks" visit has passed into history, Victoria rugby teams will settle down to their regular league schedules again. On this afternoon's programme are two senior games. The J.B.A.A. and United Services meeting at the Willows in the feature game, while the Oak Bay Wanderers and Tillicums will play at Oak Bay Park. In the intermediate schedule, two out-of-town games will be played in the knockout series, the Oak Bay Wanderers going to Cowichan, while the Victoria College will be the guests of the Brentwood College at Brentwood.

After the exhibition of the famous New Zealand team, it will be interesting to note what effect it will have on local rugby. Each of the four senior teams had at least two men on the "rep" squad, who should be able to give their teammates some idea of the inside workings of the game. Outside of the members of the teams who were playing, other members had good views from the sidelines and should have picked up some tactics that they will be able to use in their play.

The feature game of today, between the Boys and the Services, at the Willows, promises to be a game worth seeing. The grounds are in first-class shape, and both teams are at top strength. With the return of the naval vessels, the Services will have a big list to draw from and are going to hand the Boys their second defeat. Donald, Barnes and Woods, three members of the pack of the local "rep" team, which played the "All-Blacks," will be out, while the rest of the team will include several new members who have arrived recently and who are now stationed at the Naval Barracks.

McInnes Will Be Out

Included in the Boys' three-quarter line will be the veteran Angie McInnes. Angie has been out of the game for about two months, through injuries received while playing against the Wanderers, but is better now, and should pepper up the line of the oarsmen. Wendie Tolmie will be out also in the pack. Russell Kerr will referee, and the game will start at 3 o'clock.

The Wanderers-Tillicums clash at Oak Bay Park should also be a hard battle. Up to date, each team has won one of their fixtures, and each is anxious to take the odd one. The Tillicums fifteen will be about the same that they have played throughout the year, and rugby followers know they are capable of giving a good account of themselves. The Wanderers' team will be the same as lined up against the Boys two weeks ago. The game will start at 3 o'clock.

Intermediate Matches

While the Brentwood College and Victoria College are battling at Brentwood in the intermediate knockout series, the Oak Bay Wanderers will be trying to take the count of the snappy Cowichan fifteen, at Cowichan. The up-Islanders are well known as staunch rugby players, and the outcome of this battle will be hard to prophesy. "Captain" Beck will take his strongest fifteen, and will leave town at 1 o'clock. The following players are asked to be at Campbell's Drug Store at 1 o'clock sharp: Noel, Grubb, Oliver, Smith, Carey, R. Wenman, Stewart, Forbes, Officer, Back, Bowker, Macmurchie, Hicks, Herman, G. Wenman.

J.B.A.A.—Johnson, McInnes, Willis, Brynjolfson, Johns, Goodacre, McMillan, McLean, Bendrodt, J. Johnson, Tolmie, Mawhood, Peden, Smith, Watson, Travis and Porteous.

The following players are asked to turn out for the Tillicums: Steele, Passmore, McLennan, Dunn, Fraser, Huxtable, Helman, Chungranes, Whiting, Pendray, Sprinkling, Florence, Kirk, Beales, Pollock. Players not going direct to the field are asked to be at the club ready to leave not later than 2:30 o'clock.

Kiwanis Beat Gyros In Nanaimo Bowling To Take League Lead

NANAIMO, Feb. 20.—In a Service League bowling fixture played last evening, the Kiwanis took the odd point from the Gyros, making themselves high in the league. Dr. Margeson was high individual scorer with 184 pins and also high average with 167 pins, the scores were:

Gyros			
Dr. Margeson	184	146	173
Dr. McIntyre	154	138	148
A. Harding	126	139	131
D. Proctor	106	122	169
L. Booth	148	146	132
Total, 2,172	717	701	753

Kiwanis			
J. Galbraith	143	152	141
E. Harris	151	134	106
P. Corporan	148	144	137
F. Hanna	160	166	137
W. Ferguson	137	134	126
Total, 2,149	739	733	647

EX-KING GEORGE WIN INTERMEDIATE HONORS

Defeat Trail by Four to One to Win Hockey Championship of British Columbia

VERNON, Feb. 20. — Ex-King George High School hockey team, of Vancouver, tonight won the intermediate championship of British Columbia by defeating Trail 4 to 1, thereby winning the two-game round 7 to 3. Both teams played a hard game, with a determination to win. Vancouver started with a one-goal lead, secured in the first game. There was no scoring in the first period, though both sides got in some hot shots, but the goalies made some excellent stops. Trail was the first to score, shortly after play commenced in the second period, and soon after Vancouver counted, the period ending without further scoring.

It was in the final canto that Vancouver got in their best work, landing three in the Trail net.

Paavo Nurmi's Story

As Told by Him to Charles E. Parker

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This is the thirteenth of a series of articles on the remarkable athletic career of Paavo Nurmi, the marvel of Finland. At ten years of age he ran 1,500 metres in five minutes and two seconds, and now is breaking world's records about every time he faces the starter. Generally recognized as the greatest runner of all time, the story of his athletic life reads like a romance.

CHAPTER XIV

Five Records in an Afternoon

Paavo Nurmi skips lightly over his post-Olympic activities in Europe—activities which brought him nearly half of his imposing array of world's outdoor records—to discuss his current visit to the United States. But a paragraph should be accorded, he agrees, to a certain August afternoon last year when in a single race he set five new world's marks.

It was at Kuopio, Finland. The town was still celebrating his unparalleled Olympic showing and had persuaded Paavo to go there for a test against time and Kuopio's athletes over a 10,000-metre course. Paavo, in especially fine condition and seeing no signs of a real contest with the local athletes, proceeded to run as he never before had run for so long a distance.

He was caught in 19 minutes 13 7-10 seconds at the four-mile post; in 24 minutes 13 2-5 seconds at the five-mile stake; in 29 minutes 7 4-5 seconds at the six-mile mark, and in 30 minutes 6 2-5 seconds at the 10,000-metre finish line, thus establishing four time-for-distance records, and he added a distance-for-time record by covering 9,957 metres in an even half hour.

Three of those five records, held by Alfred Shrubb, of England, had stood unchallenged on the record books for a score of years. The other two displaced marks which Paavo himself had set.

He Feared American Hoodoo

Paavo's visit to America was not undertaken without certain fears. He knew nothing whatever of indoor running, the trickiness of flat-soled shoes on the hard floors, the precariousness of whirling high-banked turns on the soft wood tracks, the lack of space in which to pass rivals, and he recognized in the men he would be called upon to meet the strongest array boasted by any nation. Then there was in his mind the experiences of other athletic visitors to this land—Joseph Guillemot, for example, who was whipped by America's tyros when he came here following the Antwerp Olympic Games.

With that careful attention to detail for which the Finns are noted Paavo arranged his trip. He booked passage on a Scandinavian-America liner which would bring him to New York several weeks before the date of his first competitive appearance. He made advance arrangements for exclusive use of one or another of the National Guard armories at certain hours each day. He flatly declined invitations to become the guest of scores of Finnish-American clubs during those first weeks in this country. Never in his career did he give more thought and study to his sport than following his arrival in New York.

The task assigned him as his first venture on a board track was the duplication of the sixty-minute effort in the Colombes Olympics—a one-mile run to be followed an hour later by a 5,000-metre run. In the former he was to meet Joie Ray, the American champion, and generally acknowledged the greatest board track runner ever developed; Lloyd Hahn and Jimmy Connolly, both former national and intercollegiate champions and each with an indoor record or two to his credit; and Walter Higgins, another former intercollegiate champion and long experienced in indoor racing. In the 5,000-metre run Willie Ritola, who rivaled Paavo in winning Olympic points and was never more than a few yards behind him in races in which they both participated, was the most capable of his foes, but there were several others with notable long distance records.

Five More in Fifty-One Hours

The story of Paavo's first American meet has been too recently chronicled to need detailed description. Paavo won the mile, finishing slowed up, in 4 minutes 12 3-5 seconds—a new world's indoor record—and an hour later Paavo won the 5,000-metres with sixty yards to spare in 14 minutes 44 3-5 seconds, another new world's indoor record.

Will those record-breaking victories Paavo started an indoor campaign which long will remain the marvel of the athletic world. Scarcely a week has passed but Paavo has engaged in three or four track meets, and at this writing all save two of those meets have seen Paavo break or create from one to three new world's records. They range from three-quarters of a mile to 5,000 metres and already constitute an achievement so far beyond anything in athletic history that the most liberal use of superlatives seems futile.

Paavo's feat of January 15, 16 and 17 stands out. This opened with a one and seven-eighths-mile run in New York in which Paavo set three new worlds' records. It then carried him on a twenty-one-hour day and night ride to Chicago, where he set another new record for one and three-quarter miles. Then it brought him back to New York, where he created a world's indoor record for 2,000 yards.

In the space of fifty-one hours Paavo made the trip to and from Chicago, vanquished the most able of American runners and set five world's records, somthing which never has been approached and probably never will be equalled.

Paavo is not ready to state his opinion of the success of his current American visit.

"I still have several meets in which to appear," he says, and shrugs his shoulders when asked if already his work has been completely satisfying. "I can run faster than I have been running," he will tell you. "I could lower many of those marks if I had opportunity to concentrate on one at a time. I will lower some before I leave if all goes well."

That is his comment on a six weeks' athletic achievement that has the entire world by the ears.

Tomorrow—He Plans a Monopoly of Records

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Oaklands and Centrals Meet at Willows Today

Only one school game will be played today in the school rugby league, this being between the Oaklands and Boys' Central at the Willows Park at 2 o'clock. The Centrals are at present leading the league with the Oaklands running a close second, and today's game should provide plenty of action. Practically both of the teams appeared before the All-Blacks-Victoria game here last Wednesday, so no appreciation is necessary of the brand of rugby the students are capable of putting up. The teams will be as follows:

Boys' Central—Gaunt; Sing, James, J. Williamson, Ward; Webster, Short, Jarvie; Wilson, Matthesson, Rogers, Randall, Littlefield, Coates, Jocklin; spares, Young and McIntyre.

Oaklands—Davis; Cockin, Blackstock, Jackson, Chapman; Murray, Hansen; Williams, Jones, Lidstone, McMillan, Anderton, White, McIntyre and Revercomb.

RENAULT KAYOES BURKE

FORT BRAGG, N.C., Feb. 20.—Jack Renault, Canadian heavyweight, knocked out Charlie Burke, of Washington, here tonight, in the third round of their scheduled ten-round bout.

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BASKETBALL PLAY-OFFS HAVE BEEN ARRANGED

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.—Arrangements for the British Columbia Basketball Association championship play-offs have been completed and, according to information from different points of the Province, some interesting play may be expected when the winners of the various leagues clash.

The following arrangements for the play-offs were ratified:

Senior "A" men — Victoria and Duncan must decide a winner before March 4, and the winners will meet Vancouver champions on the Island not later than March 7.

Senior girls' finals will be staged in the Interior between the winners of the Lower Mainland and Interior. Revelstoke, Kamloops, Armstrong and Penticton must declare a winner for the Interior before March 15.

The finals for the senior "B" series will be held in New Westminster on a date to be arranged.

Finals for intermediate "A," junior boys and intermediate girls will all be held in Vancouver.

Intermediate "B" finals will be played in the Interior, providing a suitable floor can be obtained where a good attendance is assured.

ALLAN CUP FINAL

Districts Voting on Proposal for Two Out of Three Series in the Amateur Hockey

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—Confirmation of a report emanating from Port Arthur that the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association districts were voting on a proposal to make the Allan Cup finals a two-out-of-three games issue rather than by the total goals of a two-game series, was made by President Silver Quilty, of the C.A.H.A., here this afternoon. Mr. Quilty refused to state if any decision as to which plan the C.A.H.A. would follow in the series could be gleaned from early returns on the voting.

TIJUANA RACING

TIJUANA, Feb. 20.—Racing results today were:

First race, half mile—1, Epsomite, 113, Lilly, $4, $3, $3; 2, Peter Whime, 110, Barnes, $7, $5; 3, Three Sixty, 116, Gormley, $4.

Second race, mile and 70 yards—1, Calithump, 108, Craig, $5.80, $3.20, $3; 2, John Burwell, 110, McHugh, $5.20, $3.40; 3, Kiel Diamond, 113, Corbett, $8.

Third race, three-quarters mile—1, Carrie Moore, 105, Fisher, $4.80, $2.20, $2.20; 2, Rosemint, 105, Elston, $2.20, $2.60; 3, Au Revoir, 107, McHugh, $2.20.

Fourth race, three-quarters mile—1, Sir John Vergne, 122, Mex, $26, $7.60, $3.40; 2, Busy Bob, 114, Griffin, $5, $3.80; 3, Herald, 114, Corbett, $3.60.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—1, Shasta Limited, 107, Elston, $4.60, $4.80, $2.40; 2, Home Run, 113, Metcalf, $4.80, $2.40; 3, Peter Potter, 112, $2.80.

Sixth race, three-quarters mile—1, Runolethe, 106, Fisher, $4.60, $3.20, $3.20; 2, Wild Heather, 117, Roberts, $4, $3.40; 3, Not Enough, 99, Steinhart, $2.60.

Seventh race, mile—1, Polo Ground, 103, Elston, $19.60, $12, $7.40; 2, Black Wand, 103, Mortenson, $12, $8; 3, Sophia Goldman, 103, Hooper, $4.80.

Eighth race, three-quarters mile—1, Bulletproof, 115, Griffin, $3.20, $2.80, $2.20; 2, Kia, 110, Fisher, $3, $2.40; 3, Matinee Idol, 107, Pendergast, $3.

Ninth race, three-quarters mile—1, Nan McKinney, 107, Fisher, $5.80, $3, $2.40; 2, Star of Eve, 108, Elston, $3.20, $2.80; 3, Wood Cry, 104, Schaefer, $5.60.

Overnight Entries

First race, 4½ furlongs — Moses, 102; Mi Amigo, 104; Golden Mac, 104; Nine Sixty, 112; Ali Baba, 112; Geo. O'Neill, 113; Silver State, 116; Omnia, 117; Guess the Time, 120; Prince Rupald, 120.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Damar, 94; Alisie, 94; Byron G., 99; Home Run, 101; Effie Randall, 107; Run George, 109; Franc Tireur, 109; Morg. Madison, 111; Lady Tiptoe, 112; Horeb, 114; Norford Honey, 115; Olympian King, 115; Dr. Hall, 115; Little Less, 115; T. J. Pendergast, 115; Oil Lady, 105; Lady Abbott, 105; Shasta Rapids, 94.

Third race, five-eighths mile—Nan McKinney, 106; Marie Maxim, 106; Pawnbroker, 108; Golden Red, 108; Cavent Emptor, 108; Brandlee, 108; Miss Emma G., 111; Miss Nantura, 111; Jack Fountain, 113; Kirkwood, 113; Nantucket, 113; Excuse Me, 116.

Fourth race, five-eighths mile — Mary Contrary, 106; Vanderburg, 108; Albion Boy, 108; Skokl, 108; Recruit, 108; Scottish Lad, 108; Joe V., 108; Miss Fryer, 111; Angela, 111; Fort Churchill, 111; Dr. McArthur, 113; Runaway, 113; Geo. James, 113.

Fifth race, three-quarters mile—Hester Ann, 102; Beth Page, 102; Sequen, 104; Lena Wood, 105; Subtle, 106; Smart Horse, 107; Run Leg, 108; Acceleration, 110; Wood Cry, 113.

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards—Poppine, 92; Lisetta, 95; Edmon, 100; Melachrino, 103; Tangerine, 105; Lady Inez, 109; Blarney Stone, 113.

Seventh race, mile and one-sixteenth — Little Clair, 101; Praiseworthy, 103; Cypreme, 106; Herby Coles, 106; Black Shasta, 107; Quecreek, 108; Scarecrow, 109; Haiu, 109; Halemkala, 111; Gunsight, 112; Wedding Prince, 117.

Eighth race, three-quarters mile—Belle K., 105; Convent, 105; Mildred Ruth, 108; Martha L., 108; Wild Thoughts, 108; Smile Again, 108; Full o' Fun, 110; Keola, 110; No Wonder, 110; Amarkassin, 110; The Lamb, 110; Twin Fox, 112; Joy Mac, 113; Donatello, 115; Plowsteel, 115; Marse John, 115; Rubivarl, 118; Restful, 113.

Ninth race, three-quarters mile—Royal Queen, 105; Pearl Boots, 105; Fiesta, 108; Emma Williams, 108; Busy Bob, 110; H. C. Basch, 110; Jack Frost, 110; Jack Ladi, 110; Stamp, 110; Mannikan II, 113; Bon Bon, 115; Ilon, George, 115; Chevalier, 115; Messines, 115; Dalton, 115; Laurance Manning, 115; Moonglide, 118; Ike Harvay, 113.

Cloudy and muddy.

ROLLER HOCKEY

Following are the results of roller hockey league games played last night at the V. I. A. A. gymnasium:

90-lb. class—Fleetfoots 4, Simcoes 2; Capitals 3, Hill's Corner 0.

110-lb. class—Central Stars 5, Oakland Fireflies 3.

Tom Hickinson refereed.

Reeve Assures No Increase in Mill Rate in Saanich

"The Saanich Council will see that there is no increase in taxes this year, and the 1925 rate will not exceed the 1924 figure of 25 mills," stated Reeve Robert Macnicol last night, at the meeting of the Saanich Council, during consideration of the estimates of the Saanich School Board.

Councillors H. O. Kirkham and L. C. Hagen, representatives of Wards One and Six, respectively, also declared that taxes would not be any higher in 1925 than they were during the past twelve months.

While other councillors did not express themselves on the question, it is certain that the whole Council proposes economizing to the limit and keeping down expenditures as much as possible.

How to Play Basketball

By EDWIN J. MATHER and ELMER D. MITCHELL

Coach and Athletic Director, University of Michigan

This is the twentieth of a series of articles written by Edwin J. Mather and Elmer D. Mitchell, coach and athletic director, respectively, at the University of Michigan, dealing with basketball in all phases of the sport.

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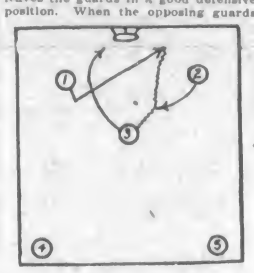
In forward plays only the forwards and centre participate in handling the ball. They should be used when the opposing guards are playing up close to the centre, the ball can then be tipped or batted over their heads; also, when the opposing centre is playing a weak or loose defense game, the plays to the forwards will allow an extra man to be put in position for a shot at the goal.

The forward plays are good to use when a team goes on the floor, not being certain of the tip-off as this leaves the guards in a good defensive position. When the opposing guards



The centre taps the ball to forward No. 2, who passes either to forward No. 1, who has crossed to the other side of the floor, or to the centre, who has gone down under the basket.

play stationary on the tip-off, the forward plays are good ones to try, as possession of the ball means a lot; and though the men under the basket are covered, the forward getting the ball is open for a shot.

Let Centre Recover

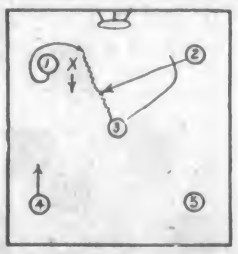
Another way of getting possession of the ball is to have the centre tip the ball to one side and recover it himself. This is possible when the centre is clearly outjumping his opponent.

In the plays shown in the diagram, the ball is tipped to the right forward; however, they can be started by tipping the ball to the opposite forward and the position of the other forwards reversed.

The guards do not follow their opponents into the tip-off, but one of them should be ready, in case the tip-off is successful, to go up the floor a short distance and participate in the passing.

Forward to Guard

By a forward to guard play is meant when the forward receives the tip-off and makes a pass to the guard before the play reaches its completion. These plays are most useful when the opposing guards stick close to the forwards and are following them up into the tip-off, as this leaves an open space in the scoring end of



The centre taps the ball to forward No. 2, who has the choice of passing to forward No. 1, who has pivoted, in an effort to lose his guard; guard No. 4, who has gone up the floor, or to the centre, who has rushed down under the basket.

the court. Again, many of these plays permit the forward to get rid of the ball easily when he is hard pressed from behind and yet allow the guard who receives it an easy pass in the direction he is facing.

This type of play is on the principle of interchanging guards and forwards when the opponents are playing a close man-to-man game.

In these plays it is necessary that the men on the team be versatile. The guards must be good shots and the forwards and centre be good on the defensive.

The next article will give additional plays and the description thereof.

Kramer and Roy

NEW YORK, Feb. 20. — Danny Kramer, of Philadelphia, knocked out "Kid" Roy, of Montreal, in the eighth round here tonight.

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Priors and What-Nots Mix Tonight in Hoop Fixture at Willows

Two fast-stepping basketball quintettes are slated to mix at the Willows gymnasium this evening, when the Priors team tangles with the What-Nots, one of the more recently formed aggregations of hoop artists in the city.

Tommy Veitch, skipper of the Priors' five, is trotting out a bunch of balloon tossers, who, he figures, ought to show the "dark horse" leather-ringers several volumes of etiquette on how basketball is played in the best of families.

Thomas Catterall, who is presiding over the destinies of the "What Nots," is tickled to death at his whirlwinds swooping about the hardwaremen's crate.

At any rate both teams are prepared to strutt their stuff at 8:30 and will battle hard all the way.

Oxford Professor Tells Winnipeg Canadian Club About Geneva Protocol

WINNIPEG, Feb. 20.—Speaking before the Canadian Club here today, Professor Alfred E. Simmern, of Oxford University, said that Canada was being called upon by Great Britain to take the lead in the matter of voting on the Geneva protocol of the League of Nations. Professor Simmern said that opinion in Great Britain was divided owing to the reactionary influance which regarded the British Empire as something based upon fear, rather than on common ideals. He described the protocol as the most far-reaching document ever put forward on the European continent.

Large Japanese Firm Reported in Difficulties

TOKIO, Feb. 21.—Reports that Takata & Co., one of the largest importing firms in Japan, was in financial difficulty were confirmed today by an announcement that the Government had refused an appeal from the company for assistance. The liabilities are estimated at $25,000,000. The suspension of the firm has not been announced, and it is understood a group of banks is endeavoring to support the company. The firm admits the situation and ascribes its difficulties to losses in the earthquake of September, 1923, and the falling of the yen which followed the disaster. Takata & Company has extensive American connections.

SIDNEY NEWS

SIDNEY, Feb. 20.—The Sidney Social Club held its weekly card party on Wednesday night, the winners being Mr. and Mrs. T. Lidgate, Mr. W. Watson and Mr. J. Crossley. The hostesses were Mr. R. N. MacAuley and Mrs. R. MacKay.

The monthly meeting of St. Andrew's and Holy Trinity Women's Auxiliary was held on Wednesday afternoon. The president, Mrs. R. Gwynne, opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. J. Gilman, superintendent of the junior members, gave an interesting account of the work they are doing. Mrs. A. Bowman, delegate to the diocesan monthly meeting held in Victoria, gave an interesting report of the meeting.

An interesting checker tournament is being held by The Sidney Review. There have been forty-three entries sent in up to the present.

Miss Vera Salmon, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Salmon, School Cross Road, who was knocked from her bicycle by an automobile in Victoria a few days ago, is getting on as well as can be expected. Miss Salmon was cut on the back of her head, bruised above the eyes, and is suffering from shock. She is in St. Joseph's Hospital, where she was in training as a nurse.

COLWOOD W.I.

COLWOOD, Feb. 20.—At the monthly meeting of the Women's Institute, held Wednesday afternoon, there was a record attendance.

Following the usual business a social programme was followed as arranged by the Misses Kelly. Miss B. Shirlaw sang "O Canada," with Miss M. James as accompanist. Miss E. Kelly gave a reading, and arranged an interesting competition, which was won by Mrs. A. S. Burgess. Tea was served by Mesdames E. Pratt, C. H. Goodall, Mrs. H. Pearson and Mrs. A. S. Burgess.

Walter Turner, who improved the Westinghouse air brake, has patented 400 inventions.

SPEECH EXTRAVAGANT SAYS LABOR MEMBER

Defeated Candidate in Kelvingrove Declares Kirkwood's Attack on Prince's Tour Untruthful

GLASGOW, Feb. 20.—The city of Glasgow has decided to confer the freedom of the city on Prince Henry, King George's third son, despite the Labor protest "on principle," from Thomas Kerr, defeated Labor candidate in the last general elections in Kelvingrove. Kerr had opposed the similar honor, which had been extended to Ramsay MacDonald when he was Premier.

Kerr described the speech of David Kirkwood, the Labor M.P. for Dumbarton, who attacked the estimates for the Prince of Wales' South African and South American tour, as extravagant and untruthful. Kerr mentioned that he himself had refused to meet the Prince of Wales when the freedom of Glasgow was conferred on him, but Kirkwood met him.

Baillie Miller raised an uproar at the council meeting by asserting that the majority of Glasgow citizens were still proud of the King and royal family.

The Laborites were angry at a later remark of Miller's that Socialists were not Britons, and claimed its withdrawal.

Envisages Wonders to Result From Working Coal at Stanley Park

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.—Robert Henderson, who claims to have located a valuable seam of coal under Stanley Park, reopens the question of securing permission to proceed with mining operations in a letter received at the city hall. He states that Ottawa will consider his application if he first receives the approval of the city council. If he is not granted permission he considers he is entitled to compensation, he states. Mr. Henderson also affirms his willingness to pay the city a royalty per ton on all coal mined and to sell it at a low fixed price. A coal mine operated by the city would solve the Winter unemployment problem, he maintains.

Ottawa Receives Notice Of Embargo on Potatoes

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—The announcement of embargo on Canadian potatoes, ordered by the British Ministry of Agriculture, has been received by the Department of Agriculture. Dr. J. H. Grisdale, Deputy Minister of the Department, stated here tonight that "every possible effort was made to prevent this embargo, but to no avail." The Canadian authorities have endeavored to establish the fact that Canadian potatoes are entirely free from the Colorado beetle, which was found in shipments going from the United States, and which was the cause of the embargo.

Herman and Garcia Draw

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Atlantic Subsidy Up In House on Tuesday

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—The Government contract with Sir William Petersen to give the Government of Canada control over certain ocean rates will be considered in the House of Commons next Tuesday.

Costs Against Mr. Catherwood

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.—Costs of the election court contest in which J. A. Catherwood, successful Conservative candidate, was unseated by the decision of Mr. Justice McDonald, must be paid by the former Conservative candidate, according to the decision of his lordship this afternoon. The appeal against the judgment by which the election was held invalid will come before the Court of Appeal here on March 3.

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LECTURE ON SUN OPENS SOLAR SERIES

Mr. W. E. Harper Gives Interesting Paper Before Local Astronomical Society

Mr. W. E. Harper's interesting lecture on "The Sun," given on Wednesday evening before the local section of the Royal Astronomical Society, was the first of a series of seven on The Solar System, which will be given during the Winter months. The meetings, with a single exception, are being held in Victoria College, and are free to the public. Discussion is invited on each paper.

The society has issued a circular setting forth its objects as being "the study of astronomy, astrophysics, and related subjects, and to diffuse a knowledge of them." There are two publications, the annual observer's handbook, containing an account of the astronomical phenomena of the year, and a wealth of information helpful to the amateur observer; also the monthly journal, which contains articles on recent discoveries, general discussions of astronomical questions, weather and earthquake reports, etc. Both publications are sent free to members of the society, which is open to anyone interested in astronomy.

Following is the remainder of the Winter's programme:

Tuesday, March 3—The Moon and Eclipses. Prof. P. H. Elliott.

Tuesday, March 17—The Earth. R. A. Miller.

Tuesday, March 31—Mercury, Venus, Ecrth, Mars. W. H. Christie.

Tuesday, April 14—Asteroids, Comets and Meteors. J. A. Pearce.

Tuesday, April 28—Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune. J. Duff.

Friday, May 29—Observation Meeting With Telescopes.

All the lectures will be fully illustrated. The meetings begin at 8 p.m.

Officers for 1925

Honorary president, J. S. Plaskett, D.Sc., F.R.S.; president, J. Duff, M.A.; vice-president, F. Moore; treasurer, J. P. Hibben; secretary, J. A. Pearce, M.A.; council, E. E. Blackwood, K. M. Chadwick, Prof. P. H. Elliott, M.Sc., R. G. Miller; and past presidents, F. N. Denison, W. S. Drewry, J. E. Umbach and W. E. Harper, M. A.

At the Playhouses

COLUMBIA THEATRE Much interest attaches itself to "The Arizona Romeo," the William Fox star series picture which is now showing at the Columbia Theatre. For one thing it features the ever-popular, good-looking Western star, Buck Jones, who will be remembered for his excellent work in "The Man Who Played Square." For the second part it allows the beautiful Lucy Fox to appear in a role which is ideal. Third, an excellent supporting cast, consisting of Maine Geary, Thomas R. Mills, Hardee Kirkland, Marcella Daly, Lydia Yeamans, Harvey Clark and Hank Mann, has been provided. Another outstanding feature of the production is the combination of comedy and thrills that crowd the action of the picture.

DOMINION THEATRE A gaping hole in the side of the Lucky Strike II, one of the fastest speed boats on the Pacific Coast, bears mute witness to the thrill not written into the scenario for Paramount's "Lord Chumley." A smoke pot, too heavily cherged with sulphur and powder, exploded unexpectedly in its resting place in a locker and blasted a hole through the hull just above the water line. The pilot, technical man, and Viola Dana, featured in the production, were the targets for flying splinters and bolts. All three were blackened from head to foot. Miss Dana leaped to the bow and wildly waved her arms in signal to the camera boat, a hundred yards distant. However, that was just the action called for in the scrip, and the cameras clicked serenely on until Directors Iribe and Urson sensed that something was wrong. Although the Lucky Strike II had to be put up for repairs, Miss Dana declined to stop work, asking only time to change her clothes and remove the dusky make-up. Theodore Roberts and Raymond Griffith are featured with Miss Dana in the principal roles of "Lord Chumley," which is now showing at the Dominion Theatre.

COLISEUM THEATRE Swimming, polo, surf riding in the daytime, jazz and joy rides at night—these are the pleasures of the wealthy at Miami, society's favorite playground. All these sports figure prominently in "Miami," now showing at the Coliseum Theatre, the first story to be written about the frequenters of that famous paradise. Betty Compson, who has the leading role, is supported by an admirable cast consisting of Benjamin F. Finney, jr., Hedda Hoppen, Luck Fox, J. Farney Sherry and Lawford Davidson. "Miami" was written by John Lynch and directed by Alan Crosland. "Music hath charms" is an old and true saying, and "The Chocolate Soldier," which holds the boards this week at the Coliseum Theatre, contains more of this sedative than most comic operas. Eva Hart's rendition of "My Hero" is a classic in itself, while in duet with Frank Partridge there are two fine voices which blend to a nicety. Reginald Hincks, as the pompous general, plays a part that could not be bettered, and altogether the entire show is a masterpiece of its kind.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Margaret Dale, one of the many Broadway stars in "Second Youth," which is now showing at the Playhouse Theatre, will be remembered as the leading lady in many plays with Henry Miller, William H. Crane, John Drew and George Arliss. Miss Dale played in George Arliss' famous stage success "Disraeli," and took the part of the beautiful Russian agent and head of the spy system, which part she also portrayed in the film version of "Disraeli."

CAPITOL THEATRE At times in "Teeth," Tom Mix' latest starring vehicle produced by William Fox, his wonder horse, Tony, and an equally wonderful dog all but "steal" the picture away from the star. In fact, it is said the histrionic team work of these two animals is absolutely nothing short of marvellous, and it seems probable this picture will go down in movie annals as one of the greatest animal features ever made. Unusual interest is being evinced in the engagement of "Teeth" at the Capitol Theatre this week.

ROYAL THEATRE Captain Plunkett and his always welcome "Dumbells Company" will be the attraction at the Royal Victoria Theatre for the last times today. There will be a matinee at 2:30 p.m. Evening performance commences at 8:30 o'clock. "The Dumbells" are offering entirely new revue called "Ace High" this season. The cast includes such favorites as Al. Plunkett, Ross Hamilton, "Red" Newman, Stan. Bennett, Pat Rafferty, "Jock" Holland, Ben Allen, Jimmy Devon and Glen Allen, together with a singing and dancing ensemble of fifteen more and a jazz band orchestra of ten pieces, under the direction of Capt. Mort. Plunkett himself.

PAVLOWA TO GIVE FAREWELL TO CITY NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT

There must be many who adore Anna Pavlowa, who, as yet, know her only by name or by wireless. During her recent opening engagement at the Manhattan Opera House, New York, listening to the Pavlowa music broadcast proved to thousands a test for the imagination. The knowledge that one was hearing the light footfalls of the incomparable Pavlowa, combined with the noise of a wildly enthusiastic audience, the colorful ballet music—all these things brought the spirit of the dance and the atmosphere of the crowded theatre with extraordinary vividness to the listener. One heard, with a lump in the throat, the crashes of applause, which surged again and again in vast waves of sound, and felt an irresistible desire to join in.

There must have been many listeners, too, who have never really enjoyed the witchery, the exquisite charm of this world's premiere danseuse. A new generation has come up since she was acclaimed at the Metropolitan Opera House some years back as the most graceful of living women. Since that time Pavlowa has circled the globe with her popularity, dancing in Shanghai, Manila, Hong Kong, Tokio, Java, Bombay, Calcutta, Cairo, and many others. And now, with her vast family of choregraphic stars, she is visiting America for the last time. In order, too, that her farewell might prove of special attractiveness, she brought from Europe new programmes, new ballets and new personalities, and a series of fascinating and novel stage pictures. These are bright with vivid Japanese, Hindu, Egyptian and Spanish colorings, ingenious in design, while the personnel of the Ballet Russe is said to be the largest and most artistic ever assembled by Pavlowa for touring purposes.

Pavlowa's final visit to this country is the briefest her managers have ever arranged for her, being confined to the largest cities of the North and the Pacific Coast. The date of Pavlowa's appearence here in the Royal Victoria Theatre will be next Tuesday evening, February 24.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Prince Henry, King George's third son, will soon be appointed to the staff of his regiment, the 10th Hussars, in view of the additional public duties which will fall to his lot in the near future, when the Prince of Wales leaves for his South American tour. With the Duke of York already in West Africa, Prince Henry will be called on to fulfill many engagements which would otherwise have gone to his two older brothers.

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Dominion—"Lord Chumley," starring Viola Dana.

Playhouse—"Second Youth," featuring Alfred Lunt and Mimi Palmeri.

The Stage

Royal—The Dumbells in "Ace High."

GLADYS VAUGHAN, SCREEN ACTRESS, IS WITH MORTON CO.

Gladys Vaughan, leading woman with the Frank Morton Players, will be remembered by many picture "fans" as a screen actress of note, having appeared in principal roles in many of the outstanding film successes of recent years. Miss Vaughan is a striking brunette with a charming personality that has won for her a host of admiring friends in nearly every city on the continent. In the "Duke of Ireland," the initial production of the Morton Company at the Playhouse, Miss Vaughan will be seen in the role of the butterfly wife, appearing opposite Mr. Morton in his famous character, "Casey."

CRITICS LAVISH IN PRAISE OF PIANIST, M. RACHMANINOFF

"There never was a less sensational or forth-putting pianist then Mr. Rachmaninoff. His appearances are infrequent, his programme conservative, his playing reticent to a degree. Yet the lovers of piano playing throng to hear him, as they did yesterday afternoon, filling Carnegie Hall to the last seat and last inch of standing room. They applauded discreetly and discriminatingly, by no means excitedly or even demonstratively; but stayed till the end and made him give encore upon encore after he had finished with the programme. It is a curious and unexpected fascination that he exerts.

"Mr. Rachmaninoff ended his programme with Liszt's "Rhapsodie Espagnole," a piece which exists both for the piano with orchestral accompaniment and for one piano alone. It is, in the solo version especially, of transcending difficulty, and Mr. Rachmaninoff's performance of it was a remarkable technical achievement, of an accuracy and precision that were an unceasing marvel."

He will play at the Royal on February 23.

BAGDAD FILM IS MASTERPIECE OF THE FILM-MAKING ART

Douglas Fairbanks' amazingly romantic and dramatic story heretofore thought impossible of achievement on the screen, "The Thief of Bagdad," will be the attraction at the Dominion Theatre all next week. There is said to be in this story a wonderful love tale to set your pulses going; a wealth of adventurous incidents that stire audiences to a rousing pitch of excitement. It will be a new experience to you to see a Magic Rug soar above the house-tops and off into the sky, bearing the Thief and the beautiful Princess of Bagdad. Another new and strange experience will be to witness a Winged Horse fly up to and through the clouds, bearing the Thief of Bagdad, of whom all nations for hundreds of years have been reading about in the tales of the Arabian Nights. You may have read about the Invisible Cloak, but you surely have not seen it unless you have viewed Douglas Fairbanks in "The Thief of Bagdad." Born of a poet's dream in Araby, this remarkable story was developed by Douglas Fairbanks into a beautiful reality. Nothing like it has ever been attempted; nothing like it has ever been seen; nothing like it has ever been accomplished. These statements may seem exaggerations; but when compared with the criticisms of this picture wherever it has been presented, cause them to appear to lack in justifiable enthusiasm.

TALENTED CAST IS FEATURED IN CAPITOL THEATRE OFFERING

Endless days and nights of steady rain; a tropical fever that racks the body and befuddles the mind—would all this be enough to kill the spark of love of a husband for his wife? This interesting situation arises in "If I Marry Again," which will be the First National attraction at the Capitol Theatre next week. The story concerns a young man who is sent to a tropical isle by his father because of his marriage to an "undesirable" girl, in the hope that his love will die and that he will return to his father. Doris Kenyon, Anna Q. Nilsson, Lloyd Hughes and Hobart Bosworth are in the cast.

RECRUITING BRITAIN'S ARMY IS DECREASING

Enlistments for Year Number 30,000 —More Difficulty Found in Securing Recruits

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The annual report of the British army for the year ended September 30 last gives the total enlistments and re-enlistments during the year as 30,000, the annual intake being 578 less than the figures for the previous year.

Northern Ireland continues to be a fruitful recruiting field and the report points out that the unemployment benefits have tended to counteract the economic incentive to enlistment in the regular army to which the civilians, especially in industrial centres, appear to be apathetic.

Emigration to the Dominions is said to have proved a serious counter action to army life and many recruits have been lost as a result. The total strength of the regular army of all ranks is given as 215,843, while the territorial reserve forces total 447,089.

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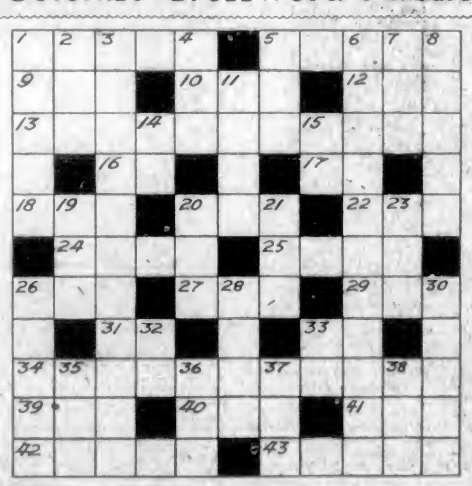


Crossword Puzzle No. 78

How to Solve the Puzzle

Each number in the diagram indicates the beginning of a word, reading either vertically or horizontally. The same number in some cases begins both a vertical and a horizontal word. The definitions of the words to fill the diagram are given in the lists labeled HORIZONTAL and VERTICAL, with numbers showing where to start the words in the diagram. To see how many letters each word has, count the white spaces until you come to a black square. If you have put in the correct words, they should all agree, horizontally and vertically, with the definitions, and you have solved the puzzle correctly. The solution of today's puzzle will be shown in an early issue.

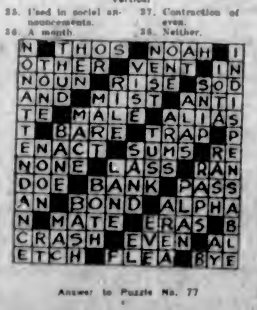
Key to Crossword Puzzle No. 78

Horizontal

1. The margin of a river.
5. A pronoun.
9. Past.
10. Fuss.
12. A container.
13. Stubbornly.
16. A highway (ob.)
17. Thus.
18. To go.
20. Boy's name.
22. Allow.
24. Single.
25. Opinion.
26. Conveyance.
27. A fish.
29. A source of light.
31. Set out.
33. Kind of electrical current (ob.)
34. Wanting qualification.
39. Meadow.
40. Ever.
41. Denial.
42. Defer.
43. Savoring of saltpetre.

Vertical

1. Quantity.
2. Period of time.
3. Absurd.
4. Bag for liquid.
5. To make love.
6. Going out of use.
7. An East Indian tree; also chemical word for salt.
8. Ancient country.
11. A coin.
14. Denoting presence.
15. I and others.
18. A receipt.
19. Used for washing purposes.
21. A greasy substance.
23. French for water.
26. To event.
28. To discover.
30. Trim or neat.
32. A refusal.
33. Denoting nearness.
35. Used in social announcements.
36. A month.
37. Contraction of even.
38. Neither.



Answer to Puzzle No. 77

WOULD HAVE MORE MUSIC FOR VISITORS

Mr. P. A. Rayner Raises Question of Spending Money to Entertain as Well as Attract

The part that music plays in a tourist city was made the subject of considerable discussion yesterday at the meeting of the Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce. The subject was introduced by Mr. P. A. Rayner, of the Navy League. He said that he could not help thinking that more should be done entertaining visitors that came to the city instead of spending all the money in getting them here. After all, he said, the best type of advertising that the city could get was the personal kind that came from satisfied visitors.

He was of the opinion that three concerts a week could be provided, not on street corners, but in the parks. Another suggestion that he had to make was that of utilizing the glories of the view off Dallas Road as an attraction. There should be a promenade and concerts there.

Mr. Robert Webb, in backing up the ideas of Mr. Rayner, referred to his experiences in England where he had visited various watering places. The basis of entertainment there was always music. He believed it would be well to have the local bands brought into the scheme of a general entertainment for visitors and in the end it should be the aim of the city to get a band that would be the envy of the whole coast.

I.O.O.F. LEADERS' VISIT

NANAIMO, Feb. 20.—Nanaimo Encampment, No. 5, and Ladysmith Unity Encampment, No. 3, I.O.O.F., were officially visited last evening by the grand chief patriarch, W. Godfrey, of Vancouver, accompanied by the past master, W. W. Walkem, Ladysmith, and the past grand patriarch and grand representative, J. H. McKinnell, of Nanaimo. The visitors were introduced by the grand treasurer, E. G. Cavalsky, who addressed the members at some length on the progress of this branch of the order, the principals connected therewith, and the international rally, which takes place in Victoria in the month of September of this year.

After the usual lodge proceedings an adjournment was taken to the banquet room, where a social time was indulged in, refreshments being served by the Sister Rebekahs.

Those who assisted in the evening's entertainment were patriarchs Glenn, Ross, Gourley, King, Dick, Weir, Cavalsky, McKenzie, Carmichael, Ritchie and Pardain.

GREAT LAKES WATER DIVERSION FORBIDDEN

Washington Gives Definite Refusal to Permit Chicago Drainage Plan to Be Continued

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—War Secretary Weeks today very definitely disposed of any hope the Chicago Sanitary District officials might have entertained of continuing the 10,000 second feet diversion by authorization of the War Department. He pointed out to a delegation that the engineer of the experts who had made a thorough investigation of the question had declared that the present diversion was injurious to navigation and said he did not desire to hear any argument attempting to justify a permanent diversion of 10,000 feet figure.

"Nor will I, as an official," he said, "grant any permission to exceed the diversion heretofore authorized (4,817 cubic feet per second) except as a temporary measure, and then only for such time as is necessary for the sanitary district of Chicago in good faith to meet the conditions that now confront them."

Banish Your Beauty Blemishes

Skin eruptions are usually but manifestations of hidden forces at work below the surface. A good complexion comes from within, not from without. You must look after your liver and keep your system clear.

BEECHAM'S PILLS

remove the surplus bile and bring back the natural color to the complexion; they expel the poisonous products of imperfect digestion and banish disorder, the cause of facial blemishes; they tone up the system and give the skin a healthful bloom.

Sold Everywhere in Canada

The Colonist's Pictorial Page

Fellow Kentuckians of Floyd Collins, imprisoned cave explorer, are shown gathered above the tragic spot, where they fervently offered up prayers for the successful delivery of the prisoner. It marked Collins' tenth day of captivity

Baroness Johanna von Steer charges in her New York suit for divorce that while she was near starvation in Vienna her husband, once a high official of the Austrian court, sent her twenty-three cents for support from America, where he was at that particular time

Doris Kenyon, screen star, is shown in a pretty pose in the Adirondacks. Between pictures she goes nimrodding and even the foxy foxes fall for her looks, her smile and her marksmanship

This motorcyclist doesn't let a little snow stand in the way of his traveling over the highways. He has added a ski to his side car in the place of a wheel

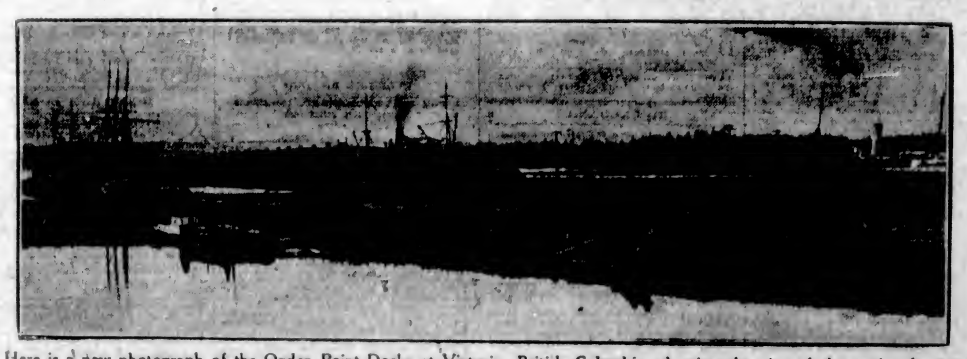
Seven thousand persons acclaimed Melida McGraw of Montreal as Queen of the Lewiston, Me., ice carnival, at which delegates to the convention of the Canadian Snowshoe Clubs were entertained

Every hair on her muzzle denotes aristocracy, and this queen of fox terriers, which was awarded first prize in its class at a show in New York recently, is more than proud of its distinction

Another one of the six models selected to represent fashionable types of American beauty wears a hat exhibited recently, which shows the use of flowers and lace, which will be a feature of the Easter mode

This unusual photograph of Pope Pius shows him in the midst of an addess to small children from the College of St. Joseph in Rome. The Pope is rarely photographed in action, since his preferred attitude is one of repose when sitting before a camera

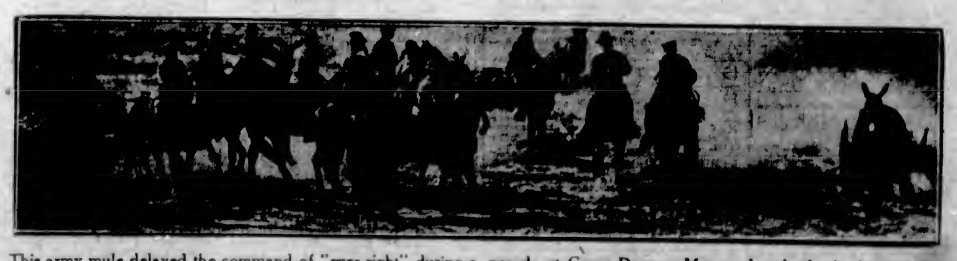
Miss Muriel Barnby, daughter of the late Sir Joseph Barnby, famed composer, has left London society flat and taken up a stage career. She is now playing in a musical comedy in the English capital



Here is a new photograph of the Ogden Point Docks at Victoria, British Columbia, showing the site of the grain elevator which the Canadian National Railways propose to build on the western coast

"Iron Man" Joe McGinnity, veteran pitcher, has bought a share in the Dubuque, Iowa, baseball team, and although he is fifty-four years of age he plans to take his regular turn at pitching

Clair Banroff, the noted interpretive dancer, is shown in a flash from her latest dance, a composition which she has named "Mercury." Mlle. Banroff is one of the most popular performers on the continental stage



This army mule delayed the command of "eyes right" during a parade at Camp Devens, Mass., when he broke loose just as a regiment of infantry was passing in review

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES

One and one-half cents a word each insertion, nine cents a word a week, with a minimum of 15 words; cash with order. No advertisement accepted for less than twenty-five cents.

Death and Funeral Notices, $1.50 first insertion, $1.00 for each additional insertion. Marriages, Card of Thanks and In Memoriam Notices, $1.50 per insertion.

Birth Notices, $1.00 per insertion.

Business or Professional Cards of four lines or under, $6.00 per month. Additional space at $1.55 per line per month.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS

NELSON—To Mr. and Mrs. L. Nelson, on February 20, at their home, 1155 Empress Avenue, a son.

DEATHS

BOND—On January 27, at Davos Platz, Switzerland, Madeline, daughter of the late Thomas Bond, Esq., and the late Mrs. Bond, at one time resident of Brooke Street, Victoria. Mourned by a sister, Mrs. A. E. Johnston, Ladner, B.C., and a brother at Okanagan Centre, B.C.

ROWSON—On February 19, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Walter Rowson, beloved husband of Mrs. Sybil S. Rowson, of the Belwil Apartments, aged 45 years; born in Mansfield, Nottingham, England, and a resident of this city for the past sixteen years. The late Mr. Rowson is survived by, besides his widow, of this city, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Rowson, and one sister, Miss Ethel Rowson, of Bridport, Dorset, England, and a sister, Mrs. Edith Ridley, of Cheeve, Somerset, England; also an aunt, Miss Rowson, of Laceby, Lincolnshire, England. He was an employee of the B.C. Coast Service for many years.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, February 21, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 8:50 o'clock, and ten minutes later Mass will be celebrated at St. Andrew's Cathedral, and the remains will be laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

SANDS FUNERAL CO.

Office and Chapel, 1625 Quadra Street

Phones 3306 and 6056

WE naturally want our loved ones cared for by one whom we know, one who understands, one who is competent, one who sympathizes.

MONUMENTAL WORK

J. MORTIMER & SON—Stone and Monumental work. 740 Courtney street. Phone 3602.

COMING EVENTS 1

A WHIST drive and dance tonight, in Sons of Canada Hall. Two $7 prizes, four others.

BE sure to hear Chesley at the New Thought Temple, Sunday, February 22. Morning subject, 11, "Ask in His Name." Evening, 7:30, "The Magic Mirror." Watch papers for future lecture. All are welcome.

BALL, Empress Hotel, Wednesday, March 4th. Proceeds in aid of local hockey player, Ivan Temple, seriously injured recently. Hunt's orchestra. 9 to 2 a.m. Dress informal. Admission $1. Tickets may be obtained from Empress Hotel, National Motor Co., Ltd., Times and Colonist offices.

BRITISH Pacific Investment and Loan Society—The second annual general meeting of the Society will be held at 1002 Broad St., on Friday, February 27th, at 8 p.m., to receive the Secretary's and Auditors' Reports, Statement of Account and Balance Sheet, for election of three Directors and two Auditors, and for such other business as may be brought before the meeting. T. J. Goodlake, Secretary-Treasurer.

COMMUNITY Club invitation dance at the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, every Saturday evening. Bluebird Orchestra. Gentlemen 50c, ladies 25c.

FORESTERS' whist drive and dance, Broad St., Saturday, 8:45; two $7 and four other prizes. Mrs. Holt, pianist.

COURT Maple Leaf hard times dance, Monday, February 23, 8:45. Larman's orchestra. Foresters' Hall. Six prizes. Refreshments. 55 cents.

GRAND MASQUERADE BALL, McBride Conservative Club, the Armories, Friday, February 20. Chevrolet car prize, crossword puzzle contest. Whist prizes. Handsome costume prizes on view at 1417 Douglas. Tickets $1, to be obtained from merchants and above address. Rogers' augmented orchestra.

MILITARY 500 and dance, Conservative rooms, Campbell Building, Monday, February 23. Prizes $25.50, and ice cream. Mrs. C. Baugh-Allen and partner will demonstrate the latest dances. Findlay's orchestra. 35 cents. Play 8:30 sharp. Everybody welcome.

NEW Friendship Club dance every Saturday night in the K. of P. Hall gets more popular than ever. We get a sociable company, which makes dancing here a pleasure. Charlie Hunt's orchestra. Gentlemen 50c, ladies 25c.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

BIG rush of business coming soon—Will you be a $3-a-day man or a $10-a-day man when prosperity returns? You still have time to get into the Auto Business before the big rush starts. Profit by the boom by being in a paying trade.

For Particulars See

INTERNATIONAL ENGINEERING SCHOOL, 610 View Street.

GROW mushrooms in your cellar for us. $35 weekly. Illustrated booklet and particulars for stamp. Dominion Mushroom Co., Toronto.

LEARN wireless and travel. Complete Marconi spark and valve transmitting and late type receiving gear. Classes now forming. Telephone 28 for particulars. Sprott-Shaw School.

MAKE Money at Home—$1 to $5 an hour for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We instruct and supply you with work. West-Angus Showcard Service, 69 Colborne Bldg., Toronto.

MARRIED gardener (single handed) for Okanagan district; lawns, flower beds and kitchen garden. State experience, age, nationality, wages, etc. House, fire and electric light supplied. Box 4265, Colonist.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2 (Continued)

SIX stock salesmen required for city of Victoria on industrial proposition of merit. Write Box 4555, Colonist.

WANTED—Man with team to haul 500 cords wood. Phone 4502.

WANTED—Experienced car salesmen. Apply National Motor Co., Ltd., 831 Yates Street.

WANTED—Strong working lad for odd jobs on farm and garden, for 3 months. Apply L. C. Trench, Cowichan Bay.

WANTED—Youth for jewelry store. Box 4556, Colonist.

3 MEN WANTED, $200 guarantee first year, apprenticeship in barber trade. 1308 Government Street.

FEMALE HELP WANTED 3

REFINED girls wanted to register for summer employment in country tea-room; comfortable accommodation, married lady in charge of girls' hostel. Apply Box 4678, Colonist.

SPROTT-SHAW Schools — Commercial, Stenography, Secretarial, Collegiate, Preparatory, Wireless and Radio courses. Day school now open. Phone 28, or send for prospectus.

WANTED—Girl to look after two children, Saturday evenings. 1817 Shakespeare Street.

WANTED—Men and women to earn $5 to $55 weekly at home. No canvassing, experience unnecessary; distance immaterial. Particulars, 5c stamp. Address T. W. Chedburn, Dept. C-5, Station D., Toronto.

WANTED—Smart, experienced young waitresses. 502 Fort Street.

2 GIRLS WANTED, small pay to start, learn hairdressing. Moler Beauty School, largest and best-known hairdressing institution in the world. 1308 Government Street.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

ACCOUNTANT desires position, financial or commercial firm; best references. Box 4515, Colonist.

EXPERIENCED English pruner. C. Tulleck, 555 Hillside. Phone 4259R, evenings.

FIRST-CLASS dairymen (Danish) wants position on dairy or poultry farm, at once or later on. Frondeg Ranch, Cobble Hill, B.C.

GARDENER, married, with vast experience, desires work. Phone 2772R.

INCOME Tax returns completed, financial statements prepared, books written up or audited; low charges; chartered accountant. Phone afternoons, 7875L.

J. PEARSE, chimney sweep, 910 Dunn Avenue. Phone 5040L1. All work guaranteed.

ROSES pruned and sprayed, borders planted, lawns laid down. Charges moderate. Phone 7354L5.

STORE or office fittings, alterations, house repairs, garages, etc. Try Smith, 150 Howe. Phone 4741R.

YOUNG man, willing worker, seeks apprenticeship in auto garage. Box 4555, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

CAPABLE Englishwoman wants position as matron-housekeeper in school; experienced; references. Box 4557, Colonist.

ENGLISH waitress, used to store, wants work, any kind. State terms. Box 4507, Colonist.

HOUSEWORK, by day or hour, by married woman. Box 4583, Colonist.

EDUCATIONAL 6

B.C. DRAMATIC SCHOOL—Classes full. Reservations made for vacancies.

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL, Victoria, B.C.—Preparatory school for boys. Individual attention. Prospectus on application. Phone 62.

ENGINEERS coached for certificates. W. G. Winterburn, 551 Central Bldg.

EXPERIENCED schoolmaster, B.A. Cambridge, gives tuition in Latin, French, Greek, English. A. Averill, 1503 Rockland Avenue. Phone 6158R.

ROCKLANDS Academy, affiliated with Sprott-Shaw School—Complete courses leading to any Canadian or American University. Alex. G. Smith, M.A., headmaster. James H. Beatty, manager.

SPROTT-SHAW, 1015 Douglas Street—Courses: Commercial, Stenography, Secretarial, Radiotelegraphy, Preparatory, etc. Day school, night school. Jas. H. Beatty, managing director. Telephone 28.

SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 1011 Government Street. Business subjects, thorough tuition. E. A. MacMillan, principal. Phone 374.

MUSIC 7

COLUMBIA SCHOOL OF MUSIC won the highest honors and gained the greatest number of passes in Victoria in summer examinations of Royal Academy. Tuition by trained teachers in Singing (Italian method), Piano, Violin, Theory, Harmony, Elocution. Pupils' monthly recital. 1106 Broad St., opp. Times Building. Phone 7374.

BANJO, MANDOLIN, GUITAR and all stringed instruments taught by W. G. Playwright, 1115 Broad Street. Phone 1553. Res. phone 1111Y1. Hours, 1 to 9 p.m., except Saturdays.

DOMINION Academy Music, Fort and Cook. Madame Webb, L.S.M.; 131 successes last year, including L.A.B.; highest in city. Pupils' monthly recitals. Phone 1951.

VICTORIA Conservatory of Music—Violin, Drury Pryce; voice, Mary McCoy Jamieson; piano, Marian Heming, Rita Ormiston; 'cello, Harold Taylor. Studios, 1614 Douglas. Phone 1444.

VIOLIN

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DR. J. E. HODGSON, Singing and Piano. Vocal students won gold and silver medals, Vancouver Festival. 1115 Gov't St.

MISS M. ROBERTS, teacher of piano, organ and theory. 5660 Blackwood Avenue.

TO EXCHANGE 8

IF you have property you wish to exchange see Charles F. Eagles, 511 Sayward Block.

SIDNEY—One acre, on the waterfront, with new bungalow of 5 rooms, bath, pantry, water, laundry tubs, light and phone. An ideal waterfront home. Price $6,500. Will trade for less house and more land.

LUXTON—Poultry farm, 5 acres, 4 cleared, 4-room cottage, garage, brooding house for 1,500 chicks, laying pens for 700 hens, pig house and other outbuildings. Price $4,200. Will trade for house property. DUNFORD'S, LTD., 224 Pemberton Bldg. (F. R. Carlow, Manager)

$2000—50 ACRES, close-in property. Would consider house in or near city.

$4000—15 ACRES, with 4-room house and other good buildings, about 6 acres cleared, good water; close in. Consider house in or near city. Many other trades. F. F. Higgs, 205 Pemberton Bldg.

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AN EXPERIENCED DRESSMAKER—Work by the day. Phone 5730L.

DRESSMAKING, ladies' tailoring. 549 Fort Street.

DRESSMAKING—Blouses, alterations and alterations promptly done. Room 55, 1074½ Yates Street.

LADIES' hats made, stylish and reasonable. Also flowers. Mrs. Perry. Phone 6671L.

MME. DAY, dressmaker (Protestant), daily or otherwise. Phone 5766X.

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MISCELLANEOUS 10

ALL your trash will bring you cash, such as rags, bottles, also tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else. We call anywhere and pay best prices. Phone 6186.

ANYTHING in house repairs. Roofs repaired and tarred. Work guaranteed. Estimates free. Phone 7276, 6949L.

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D. F. SPRINKLING, ladies' and gents' tailoring, remodeling and renovating, dyeing. Phone 4100. McGregor Block.

FOR furniture refinishing and decorative enamelling, see W. Cooper, late of Weiler Bros., Ltd. Work guaranteed. Phone 4012X.

GOAT'S milk delivered in Oak Bay district. C. H. Unwin. Phone 7601X3.

MISCELLANEOUS 10 (Continued)

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PAINTING, paperhanging and kalsomining. F. H. Ross. Phone 4815.

SKATES hollow ground. Carver & Son, 637 Fort.

SAFETY razor blades resharpened; razors honed and set, 35c. F. L. Cox, 637 Fort.

SAWS, all kinds, filed, set, gummed, etc. Phone W. Emery, 1567 Gladstone Ave.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

TO Rent—Part of store, 1115 Douglas St., light, water and heat furnished. Apply New Method Laundry.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

CLOTHING, FURS, ETC.

A LADY'S nice Persian lamb coat, knee length, in perfect condition, size 40, very cheap. Phone 5190X.

CLOSING out all of our stock, half price. Suits, coats, dresses, skirts, sweaters, kimonos, etc. The Famous Store.

GENTLEMAN'S new 3-piece Donegal tweed suit, English make, size 38, $20. Phone 2370.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

A KIRKMAN piano, $175; $8 monthly terms. 1817 Quadra Street.

A. HICKLING'S Bargains—Violin outfit, $15, violin, by Cappa, $150; Russian violin, $75; 'cello, $75. 741 Pandora.

BANJO (tenor), new, snap, $22. Phone 7017L1.

COLUMBIA Grafonola and $50 worth of records, $40. Phone 2370.

COTTAGE piano, excellent tone. 2741 Foul Bay Road, near Mt. Tolmie.

FOR Sale—New Willis fumed oak player-piano, cheap. Apply 515 Connaught Road.

SAXOPHONE for sale; Conn, C melody, in silver, practically unused; cost $190; cash $100. 506 Yates Street.

VIOLIN outfit for child, $12. 1025 Mason Street.

FURNITURE

BARGAIN—Dining-room suite, 5 leather-seated chairs, sideboard, extension table, $50. Double-door wardrobe, $15. Carter's, 554 Bay Street, corner Government.

BARGAIN—Large W.E. chest of drawers, A1 condition, only $13.50. Oddy's, 1612 Douglas St.

BARGAINS in good clean rugs, carpets and runners, all sizes. Carpetaria Co., 551 Fort Street.

BARGAIN—Singer sewing machine, A1 condition, $15. Hoosier kitchen cabinet, $30. Carter's, 554 Bay, corner Government Street.

CHESTS of drawers from $5.50. Tyldesley's, 749 Fort.

EASY chairs from $8.50. Tyldesley's, 749 Fort Street.

FURNITURE of flat, also radio for sale, cheap. Owner leaving city. Phone 7181X.

FLAT top office desk, 5 ft. by 5 ft., with drawers each side; in good condition, $15. Island Exchange, 759 Fort Street.

HANDSOME brass bed, box spring, new cotton felt mattress; $25. Phone 5570.

LARGE sideboard, with mirror 3 ft. 6 ins. by 3 ft. 9 ins., in fine condition; only $18.50. Island Exchange, 759 Fort Street.

SNAP—W.E. bedroom suite, including dresser, dressing table and bed, rolled-edge spring and new felt mattress; good as new; only $45. Oddy's, 1612 Douglas St.

SOLID oak diners, one arm, five small; like new; bargain, $15. Island Exchange, 759 Fort Street.

SEAMLESS rug, pretty design, 9 ft. by 15 ft., A1 condition; snap, $51. Island Exchange, 759 Fort Street.

RADIO

RADIO TUBES AT NEW LOW PRICES AT SUN ELECTRIC CO. 1306 DOUGLAS, AT YATES

WARREN Junior Loud Speakers, $15.50. Western Canada Radio Supply, Ltd., 545 Fort Street, Victoria. Phone 1040.

199 AND 201A Tubes, $3.50. Crowther Bros., 555 Yates Street.

MISCELLANEOUS

ADVT. will only appear once—Contents of bungalow, Newport Avenue, Oak Bay. Furniture, English linen, silver, crockery (Wedgwood, Limoges, etc.), books, pictures, new London clothes; Saturday to Wednesday. No agents. For address phone 4455L.

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BAKERS' ovens—Write for catalogue and list of used ovens, coal or gas. Easy terms. Hubbard Oven Co., 782 King West, Toronto.

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BABY carriage, English, like new, $50; sulky, good condition, $6.50. Phone 4815R5.

BARRELS, all sizes and purposes. Wilkinson, cooper, 241 Gorge Rd., and Market.

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VICTOR COLUMBIA PATHE

BRING us the records you are tired of. We will exchange them for you, charging you 10c each for this service. Or we will sell you guaranteed records at 5 for $1.

EDISON BLUE AMBEROL CYLINDER RECORDS

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CARPETS, every description, guaranteed clean and sterilized. Largest stock in city. See ours before purchasing. Island Window and Carpet Cleaning Co., 917 Fort Street. Phone 5616.

COAL and coke, 75c per sack. Dry kindling wood, 5 boxes, $1. William Osgood. Phone 5620.

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$1500—WE offer you today one of the biggest snaps on the market. A fine home, consisting of sitting-room, dining-room, kitchen, pantry, 4 bedrooms, bath, glassed-in study, large conservatory, situate on two large lots, total size 136x132, excellent soil, nice gentle slope, well protected, and all cleared. There is also a fine sleeping porch and a large double garage, work bench, etc. If you want a good home for practically nothing, see us about this one. Terms arranged if necessary.
Listings appreciated. "Homes Our Specialty"
Commercial & Financial Corporation, Ltd.
736 Fort St. Phone 318

3044 CARROLL STREET—6-roomed modern cottage, $3,600; $500 cash, balance terms. 3031 Carroll St.; 7 rooms, furnished, new, modern house, furnace, wash tubs, two toilets, garage, ½-acre lot, $5,500; $1,000 cash, balance terms. Apply 214 Russell St. Phone 6161L.

$2000—TERMS—Modern 4-roomed bungalow, kitchen 12x16, etc.; beamed ceilings, fancy pressed brick open fireplace, cement basement and excellent furnace, chicken runs, big lot. Two blocks from car. Newly painted. PATTERSON REALTY, 660 Yates. Phone 973.

HOUSES FOR SALE 39
(Continued)

PEMBERTON & SON
Pemberton Bldg. Phone 388

OAK BAY—ST. PATRICK STREET

WE have recently been instructed to reduce the price of this property to

$9000

A thoroughly modern and well-appointed stucco house and 3 large lots, well treed, close to car line and in a very desirable location.

House contains 3 well-arranged rooms and sleeping porch; stone foundations and full basement, concreted, laundry tubs, fruit-room and furnace. Large, light hall and cloakroom; drawing-room, 18x14, with splendid open fireplace, French doors to wide veranda, facing south; comfortable den, with open fireplace; dining-room has buffet, designed in keeping with the house; HARDWOOD FLOORS; pass pantry leading off to kitchen, which has many cupboards, etc., and tiled floor; two staircases; four very light bedrooms of good size, with ample cupboard space; sewing-room; bathroom with first-class fixtures and fittings, and tiled floor. Excellent electrical fixtures.

PRICE $9,000.

PEMBERTON & SON
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
322 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C.

THE BEST BUY IN SAANICH

$2000 — BATTLEFORD AVENUE—Splendid 5-roomed bungalow, in best of condition; entrance hall, living-room with fine fireplace; dining-room, beamed, etc.; large, bright kitchen; pantry with all built-in features; three-piece bathroom, new boiler; 2 large bedrooms with closets; blinds, good electrical fixtures; basement; garage, chicken houses and runs; stable for two cows; on four large lots, excellent soil; low taxes. Genuine bargain.
R. V. WINCH & CO., LTD.
Real Estate, Insurance and Financial Agents
Winch Bldg. Fort St.

6-ROOMED dwelling, with modern conveniences, well situated, standing in 33 acres; 9 acres under cultivation; 1½ miles from Cowichan Station. A very good buy, open to any reasonable offer.

C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station E. & N. Railway

AN EXCEPTIONAL BARGAIN

$2500—PRODUCING orchard (5-8 acre), 7-room modern home, cement basement, furnace, fruit room, etc. Large barn, chicken houses (wire-netted runs), garage. Property delightfully situated on main road, only few minutes' run to city. Cost present owner $3,700 cash. Carries insurance of $3,500. No better buy in or around Victoria. Unusual conditions demand a ready sale. Clear title. Taxes $30.
Exclusively by
ANDREWS REALTY
7th Floor, B.C. Loan Bldg. Phone 3780

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42

BEAUTIFUL Cowichan Lake property—21½ acres, all good land, 630 feet waterfrontage; could be subdivided, or would make good farm. Phone 5173L. P.O. Box 1023.

FOR Sale—3 acres in North Saanich, on Laurel Road, vicinity of Deep Cove. Price $173. Phone 1427X.

LARGE tracts of land on Vancouver Island, logged and burned over, suitable for stock and sheep raising, close to Nanoose, Parksville, Qualicum, Hilliers and Coombs. $10 per acre. Also some choice pieces, 40 acres and up. $15 per acre. Reply P. J. P., Box 3, Nanaimo.

SAANICH Properties; Low Taxes. Country home, 5 acres, half cleared, balance beautifully treed; 4½ miles out, on good road. Five-roomed house, consisting of large living-room with granite fireplace, three bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, pantry, electric light, telephone; small outbuildings. $6,830; $2,800 cash and terms. Near Swan Lake—4-roomed house; good garden, small fruits and cherry trees. Price $660; cash $100. Colquitz Avenue—½ acre with two-roomed cottage; small fruits. Price $920; cash $322. MACNICOL & KERR REALTY CO., 412 Central Bldg. Phone 2470.

PEMBERTON & SON
Pemberton Bldg. Phone 388

40 ACRES, about 7 acres under cultivation, all good soil; a few young fruit trees and some small fruits; balance of land is partly cleared, suitable for pasture. Sufficient firewood for some time; also a number of good cedar trees. Modern bungalow of six rooms, with all modern conveniences. Barn accommodation for three head, poultry houses for one hundred birds; garage and other outbuildings. Situated about 1 mile from school and railway station; telephone and rural mail delivery.

PRICE $6,300; Terms Arranged

PEMBERTON & SON
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
322 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

$3100—EIGHT acres, four cleared, balance easily cleared, all fenced. Soil is of excellent quality. Stream through property. Some small fruits. Four-room bungalow with basement, barn, two good wells; six miles from city. EASY TERMS.

$5000—33½ ACRES, 14 cleared. Splendid land for chickens or small fruits; five-room bungalow, with modern conveniences; barns, chicken houses and fruit trees; ½ mile from railway depot on Island Highway.

$20,000—COWICHAN LAKE waterfront—Charming estate of sixty acres, with most attractive ten-room house. The residence is completely modern and attractive, and would lend itself splendidly to the purpose of either country home or hunting lodge. Unrivalled hunting and fishing are immediately available.
HARRY AMPHLETT
212 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 5300

BEAUTIFUL WATERFRONT HOME

14½ ACRES, with a 6-roomed fully modern bungalow, including full cement basement, electric light, plate-glass windows, best plumbing; complete in every detail. The view of sea and mountain is particularly fine. Nice young orchard and small fruits, poultry house and other outbuildings. Owner, who has special reasons for selling immediately, has reduced his price from $8,760 to $6,500. Fuller particulars by application to the agents—
ROBERT GRUBB & SON
Mahon Building 1112 Government Street

5 ACRES chocolate loam, in wheat. Nice cottage; 5-mile circle; city light, water and phone: $6,660. Very choice, Saanich Valley—18 acres in oats, fronting on paved road; must be sold. Reduced to $4,000. Adjoining land held at $800 per acre. Patterson Realty, 660 Yates. Phone 973.

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

A FULL-SIZED, good, level lot, on Basil St., just off Blackwood St., one minute to car. Clear title and all taxes paid. Phone 3033Y.

BETTER THAN DUNWELL AT 38 CENTS
2 CHOICE Gorge lots, high and dry, no rock, all fenced, cultivated and ready for planting; water and light available; one minute from the bus, two minutes from the car, Gorge and park. These two lots, advertised on February 16th, were cheap at $400. Reduced today by owner for quick sale to $380. Listing No. 11. The Griffith Co., Ltd., 101-3 Hibben-Bone Bldg. Phone 1462.

PROPERTY WANTED 45

WE would like the listing of houses for sale in the Township of Esquimalt. Several clients waiting.
DUNFORD'S, Ltd., 624 Pemberton Block.
(F. R. Carlow, Manager.)

FARMS FOR SALE 47

$2.00 WHEAT

WE have 160 acres, located just out of Wilkie, Sask., with 130 acres in fine shape for crop, half Summer fallow. Very good house, stable and granaries, good water. School close by. There is sufficient land ready for crop to harvest 3,000 or more bushels of wheat. An ideal chance to start an easy terms.
MUTUAL REALTY 410 Sayward Bldg.

$6500—18 ACRES, well improved farm, near Duncan, good buildings, good water supply, stock and implements, a going concern. Good terms. Apply F. F. Higgs, 322 Pemberton Bldg.

100 ACRE estate, located mouth of river, East Coast, forty miles Victoria; very superior house and buildings, excellent farming proposition or ideal sporting estate, unrivalled fishing and shooting; nominal rent to good tenant. Harry Amphlett, 212 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 5300.

ACREAGE FOR RENT 50

SEVERAL properties, suitable for fruit and chickens, modern buildings; and not far from city. J. N. Holland, 208 Pemberton Building.

TO Rent—10 acres good land, under cultivation; inside two-mile circle; suitable for seed growing. Box 4233, Colonist.

8 ACRES waterfront, Cordova Bay; cleared and fenced; 3-room house, city water, bathroom, furnished; barn, chicken house, garage; near school and church; lease at $15 per month. F. F. Higgs, 322 Pemberton Building.

MONEY TO LOAN 52

AGREEMENTS for sale and mortgages purchased. Money to loan. Foot & Manzer, Barristers, Bank of Nova Scotia Bldg., Victoria.

IN sums ranging from $500 to $20,000, on improved farm and city property. Apply P. R. Brown & Sons, Limited, 1112 Broad Street. Phone 1076.

LOANS, any amount; personal property. David Nelson, 400 Hibben-Bone Bldg. Phone 4760.

MONEY to loan on improved real estate. Swinerton & Musgrave, real estate, insurance and financial agents, 640 Fort Street. Phone 491.

$50,000 TO LOAN on mortgage on improved property, at current rates of interest, in sums to suit. Heisterman, Forman & Co., 606 View St. Phone 55.

PERSONAL 56

MME. SHERRY, psychologist, phrenologist, lectures in Surrey Block every Thursday evening at 8. For private interview phone 51.

WANTED—Those suffering from the agony of varicose ulcers and kindred complaints to call and interview Varex nurse for particulars of "Varex" Treatment. No pain, no need to lay up. Address, 731 Fort Street.

AGENTS WANTED 59

ONE reliable man in each town, to sell "Better Built" made-to-measure clothes. Good commission. Write at once for Spring samples. Rex Tailoring Co., Ltd., Toronto.

ONE man wanted in each county to appoint agents to sell our "Magic Gas," a guaranteed product; new discovery; equals gasoline at 3 cents a gallon; $1 box gives 500 miles; $225 monthly easy. Write quick. P. A. Lefebvre & Co., Alexandria, Ont.

TIMBER BROKERS 60

LARGE and small tracts of timber, accessible to rail and water, for sale. Wise & Co., Ltd., 109 Pemberton Bldg.

RYAN, McINTOSH, HIBBERSON, BLAIR TIMBER CO., LTD., TIMBER CRUISERS, VALUATORS AND CONSULTING ENGINEERS. Timber for sale in large or small tracts. Crown grant or licence, in any part of the Province. 703 BELMONT HOUSE, VICTORIA.

WE have for sale timber, Crown grant or licence, large or small tracts. Pemberton & Son.

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Respectfully solicits the patronage of local residents in the lines of business hereunder mentioned:

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P. L. JAMES, 531 Sayward Building. Phone 3926.
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THE MECHANICAL MOTOR WORKS, 2313 Oak Bay Avenue. Phone 5964.

AWNING MAKER
GEO. RIGBY, 535 Fisgard Street. Phone 5536.

AUTO PAINTER
VETERANS' AUTO PAINTING WORKS, 1180 Blanshard Street.

BUILDERS' SUPPLIES
JOHNSON BROS., 2741 Avebury Avenue. Phone 4736.

BONDS
G. C. MORRIS, 711 Fort St. Phone 2140.

CARPENTER AND BUILDER
EVANS & GREEN, 1270 Dallas Road. Phone 2423X.

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FYVIE BROTHERS, 617 Government Street. Phone 1695.
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CONCRETE SPECIALISTS AND CONCRETE PRODUCTS
HENSON & CO., 402 Gorge Road. Phones 6847 and 113X.

DENTIST
H. CLARKE, 418 Central Building. Phone 1666.

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FOX & MAINWARING, Pemberton Building. Phone 6011.

FINANCIAL AGENTS
H. E. HUNNINGS, 219 Central Building. Phone 4484.

LAND SURVEYOR
F. H. ALLWOOD, B.C.L.S., 1718 St. Ann St. Phone 7261L2.

ORCHESTRA AND BAND
A. RUMSBY, Fifth Regiment Band, 931 Niagara Street.

PAINTING AND DECORATING
T. H. RENDELL, 1330 Bay Street. Phone 4575Y.

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VETERANS' PLUMBING COMPANY, Fort and Langley. Phone 6311.
R. J. COSTELLO, Lake Hill P.O. Phone 5070X.

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GENERAL SERVICE TRANSPORT, LTD., 1137 Langley. Phone 62.
JOHNSON BROS., 2744 Avebury Avenue. Phone 4736.

TOBACCONIST
J. DIROM, Horseshoe Cigar Stand, 1326 Government Street. Phone 7144O.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT
Notice of Application for Beer Licence

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 21st day of February next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a Licence in respect of premises being part of the building known as the Colwood Hotel, situate at Colwood, Esquimalt District, upon the lands described as Section 1, Parcel L, Victoria Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1925.
MAY G. MILLER,
Applicant.

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT"
Notice of Application for Beer Licence

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 14th day of March next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a licence in respect of premises being part of the building situate on the Island Highway and at or near the junction of Goldstream Road and said Island Highway upon the lands described as part of Section One (1), Goldstream District, Province of British Columbia, Victoria Land Registration District, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1925.
WILLIAM GEORGE LEVY,
Applicant.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT
Notice of Application for Beer Licence

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 11th day of March next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a Licence in respect of premises being part of the building known as the Coach and Horses Hotel, situate at 1830 Esquimalt Road, Esquimalt District, upon the lands described as part Sub-Lot 66, Esquimalt Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 10th day of February, 1925.
JOHN MORGAN,
Applicant.

Estate of JOHN HENRY OLDFIELD, deceased, late of Winnipeg, Manitoba, latterly of Norfolk Lodge, Elk Lake, near Victoria, B.C.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the Estate of the above-named deceased, who died on the 16th October, 1924, and whose will was proved in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Victoria Registry, on the 18th November, 1924, by William Hicks Gardner and Henry Clarence Oldfield, the Executors therein named, are hereby required to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors on or before the 31st day of March, 1925, after which date the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice. All persons indebted to the deceased are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned.

Dated the 18th February, 1925.
CREASE & CREASE,
410 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders are invited for painting the exterior of St. Saviour's Church, also the schools (no roofing), with two coats of best lead and oil paint, including all outside floors and steps. Gutters painted inside and out. Separate tender for each building, to be in by February 27, 1925, addressed:
CHURCH WARDENS,
431 Pine Street, Victoria West.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT
Notice of Application for Beer Licence

Notice is hereby given that on the Twenty-seventh day of February next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a Licence in respect of premises being a building known as the Malahat Store, situated nineteen (19) miles from Victoria, Esquimalt District, upon the lands described as Section Forty-one (Lot 41, Victoria Lands Registry District, in the Province of British Columbia. Map No. 3384, for the sale of beer by the glass or the open bottle, for consumption on the premises.

Dated this day, February the Seventeenth (17th), 1925.
DANIEL COUSINS,
Applicant.

V. 3130.

McCloy's Livestock Auction Today at 11 A.M.
On Victoria Public Market Square

Fresh Cows

Including: Five-Year-Old Grade Jersey, fresh 4 days (5 gallons); Jersey-Ayrshire, fresh 4 weeks, (3 gallons); Holstein, fresh 4 weeks, (4 gallons); Jersey, just fresh; and others.

Poultry

Potatoes, Bedding-Out Plants, Flowers, Berry Bushes
Terms: Cash at Sale
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The Market Auctioneers Phone 1431

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Oak Secretaire and Bookcase	$19.00
Lady's Solid Oak Secretaire	12.50
Large Desk with Drawers, etc.	15.00
Mahogany Writing Table	15.00
Strong Oak Office Chairs at	5.00
Bookcase, Double Glass Doors	14.50
Choice Wardrobe, Mirror Door	39.00
Tapestry Chesterfield	29.00
Dressers, "Lots of 'em," $45 to	8.75
Heavy Mission Oak Library Table	15.00
Brass Bed, Spring, Mattress	14.50
Good Oak Sideboard, with Mirror	20.00
Oak Dining Sets, $79, $59, $49,	39.00

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Antique Furniture, etc., purchased.
1125-27-29 Fort Street Phone 1611

HIGH-ANGLE RADIO IS LATEST MARVEL

General Electric Expert Tells of the Latest Discoveries Made in Broadcasting

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 20.—Two important revelations were announced by Dr. E. F. Alexanderson, General Electric Company radio expert, addressing the American Institute of Electrical Engineers here last night.

The first is a system of short radio waves projecting high into the air which are not heard until they descend to the earth again. The second is the successful scrambling and unscrambling of radio waves.

Dr. Alexanderson told how practically all static has been eliminated by the construction of antennae system consisting of two ten miles long joined by a transmission line.

Long radio waves, such as are sent out from popular broadcasting stations, cling to the earth's surface, he said. "So long as we are working with earth-bound waves we must use long waves for long distances because the earth absorption of the long waves is comparatively small," he added. "When, on the other hand, we use high angle radiation, with short waves we utilize a different form of wave propagation. These new tracks in the air are being explored by systematic research work as well as by commercial communication. Thus, a new phenomenon or law of nature has been established, though we are not able to give an adequate explanation.

"The curbed space radiation with short waves will undoubtedly open up new fields for radio."

NEWSPAPER ETHICS OF GREAT PUBLISHER

Late M. H. de Young Directs Formation of Trust to Carry on San Francisco Chronicle

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Directing that The San Francisco Chronicle be erected into a trust with the specification that its policies and management continue as during his lifetime, M. H. de Young, San Francisco publisher, who died last Sunday in his 76th year, set forth in his will filed here his views as to the conduct of a newspaper.

The true mission of a newspaper, the veteran publisher declared in his will, should be "concerned with the accomplishment of great ends for the benefit of the public rather than to be designed simply and solely as a gainer of moneys for the benefit of stockholders of the corporation."

George T. Cameron, son-in-law of Mr. de Young; Percy E. Towne, and Nion R. Tucker, another son-in-law, were named trustees to carry out the intent of the will, the first-named to be president and publisher.

Kamloops Indian Hunter Kills Immense Cougar

KAMLOOPS, Feb. 20.—Andy Manuel, noted Indian hunter, rode into town proudly showing the skin of a cougar strapped to his saddle. The animal's measurement was nine feet two inches from tip to tip. The cougar had killed a horse and after two days tracking Manuel, with another Indian's help, treed the beast and shot it. In the animal's mouth were many quills of a porcupine, showing it had been at starvation point when it attacked such prey.

Finance and Commerce

AGGRESSIVE BULL ACTIVITIES NOTED

Upward Swing in New York Stocks Based on Favorable Trade News and Reports of Merger

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Having regained the loss suffered during the drastic decline early in the week, stock prices today resumed their upward trend. Aggressive bullish operations, based on favorable trade news and reports of new mergers and dividend developments were conducted in a variety of popular rail and industrials. Gains of 1 to 5 points were general throughout the list, lifting a score of issues to the highest levels since 1923. Baldwin Locomotive was the star performer of the day, soaring more than six points to 145, the highest price in five years, and closing at 144¼.

Momentum Advance

Short coverings expanded, giving momentum to the general advance for which cheaper money rates supplied an additional incentive. Boyancy of specialties was reflected in gains of 5 points or more by United Castiron Pipe, General Electric, Savage Arms and California Packing.

Pan-American Petroleum issues spurted up more than 3 points each in anticipation of the increased annual dividend rate from $4 to $6 a share, which was announced late in the day.

Call Money Unchanged

Call money was in supply, renewing at 3 per cent and holding at that rate throughout the day. The market for time money was firm, with few offerings at less than 4 per cent.

Commercial paper rates were unchanged.

Moderate improvement took place in the principal European exchanges. Sterling moved up fractionally to around $4.76⅝, and French francs advanced 2½ points to above 5¼ cents, a confidence in the French financial situation seemed to have been restored by official promises of governmental reforms.

Bond prices continued to forge ahead today as the revival of buying interest in railroad shares spread to the bonds of these companies. The basis for activity in this group was supplied by new indications that bankers were shipping consolidation plans in the Southwest by current favorable earnings and by prospects of increased dividends.

(All Fractions in Eighths.)

	High	Low	Last
Allis Chalmers	76	74-3	76
Allied Chem.	87-6	83-1	87-1
Am. Beet Sugar	41-1	41	41
Am. Bosh. Mag.	40-1	38-6	40-1
Am. Can.	174-6	170-2	173-1
Am. Car & Fdy.	203-4	202-3	203-4
Am. Intl. Corp.	38-7	38-7	38-7
Am. Linseed	28-6	27-3	28-3
Am. Locomotive	124-4	120	124-2
Am. Ship & Com.	12-3	16	16
Am. Smelters	100-4	98-5	100-3
Am. Steel Fdy.	56-3	42-2	32-6
Am. Sugar	62-4	62-3	62-4
Am. Sum. Tob.	18	18	18
Am. Tel. & Tel.	133-4	132-4	133-4
Am. Tobacco	88-5	88-1	88-1
Am. Woolens	31-4	30	31-3
Anaconda	42-7	42-4	42-7
Assoc. Dry Goods	37	37	37
Atlantic Gulf	29-1	23-4	28-1
Atchison	123-1	124	123-1
Baldwin Loco	144-7	138-5	144-7
Baltimore & Ohio	78-7	74-3	78-7
Bethlehem Steel	47-3	47	47-3
Brooklyn Manhat	41-7	41	41-7
California Packing	108-3	108-4	109
California Pete	27-4	27-6	27-3
Canadian Pacific	150-7	150-7	150-7
Cast Iron Pipe	229	233	226-4
Cerro De Pasco	66-3	32	32-2
Central Leather	26	20	30
Chandler	31-7	31	31-7
Chesapeake & Ohio	94	93-6	93-6
Chi. Mil. & St. Paul.	13-3	13	13
C.M. & St. P., pfd.	21-6	21-3	21-3
Chi. & Northwest	63-4	63	63-4
Chi. R.I. & Pacific	51-4	47-4	51-4
Chile Copper	35-5	35-1	35-3
Chino Copper	20	26	26
Coca Cola	81	80-6	81
Col. Fuel & Iron	43	44	43
Col. Southern	33	38	33
Columbia Gas	47	47	47
Cons. Gas	74-6	73-6	73-3
Cont. Can.	64-3	64	64-3
Corn Products	39-6	36-6	38-6
Cosden Oil	32-6	31-6	32-1
Cuba Am. Sugar	31-5	31-5	31-5
Cuba C. Sugar	13-3	13-3	13-3
Crucible Steel	75	70-6	74-6
Davison Chem.	44	43	44
Del. Lack. & West.	138	138	138
Dupont Powder	148-6	147-1	147-1
Endicott Johnson	66	62	65
Erie	33-3	33	33-6
Erie First, pfd.	41-7	40-5	41-7
Famous Players	94-6	92-6	94-6
General Asphalt	58-3	54	57-4
General Cigar	100-6	100-4	100-6
General Electric	211-6	235-6	238-4
General Motors	74-3	73-5	74-3
Goodrich Rubber	42-6	45	46-2
Goodyear T. & R., pfd.	68	37	58
Granby	19	18-6	19
Great North. Ore	37-6	36-4	37-3
Great North., pfd.	48-3	62-4	63-3
Gulf States Steel	80-4	89	80
Houston Oil	80-6	78-6	80-6
Illinois Central	113-7	113-7	113-7
Inspiration	28-1	28-1	28-1
Int. Bus. Machine	116	116	116
Int. Mer. Marine	13-6	16	13-3
Int. Mer. Mar., pfd.	47-6	42-6	47-3
Int. Nickel	27-3	27	27-1
Kan. City South	38	30-7	38
Kennicott Copper	54-3	53	54-3
Kelly Springfield	16-6	15-6	16-6
Keystone Tire	4-4	3-4	3-4
Lehigh Valley	77-6	77	77-6
Lehigh Valley Coal	45-5	44-6	43-5
Lorillard	34	34	34
Louis. & Nash.	107-3	107-3	107-3
Mack Truck	141-6	138	141-6
Man. Mod. Guar.	49-6	49-6	49-6
Marland Oil	43	42-1	43
Maxwell A	81-7	81-4	81-7
Maxwell B	46-5	42-6	48-3
Mex. Seaboard	15-6	15-6	15-6
Middlestates Oil	1-4	1-4	1-4
M. St. P. & S.S.M.	45	42	42
Miss. Pacific	39-6	38-4	38
Miss. Pacific, pfd.	81-1	81-1	81-1
Montana Power	69-6	69-6	69-6
Montgomery Ward	50-2	48-2	50-1
Moon Motor	33-5	32-5	33-5
Motherlode	8-5	8-5	8-5
National Biscuit	69	68-4	69
National Enamel	33-4	33-4	33-4
National Lead	161	161	161
Nevada Cons	15-4	15-4	15-4
Norfolk & West.	127-1	127-1	127-1
North American	47-6	47	47-4
Northern Pacific	70-3	68-6	70-2
N.Y. Central	123-4	121-4	122-2
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	34-5	34-6	34-2
N.Y., Ont. & West.	23-7	23-4	23-7
Packard Motor	17-3	17-3	17-3
Pacific Oil	56	60-1	61-7
Pan. American	76-4	73-6	76-6
Pan. American B.	77-1	73-6	76-6
Pennsylvania R.R.	47-6	47-1	47-1
Peoples Gas	114	114	114
Pere Marquette	68-5	63-5	68-5
Phillips Pete	43	43	43
Pierce Arrow	13-3	13-3	13-3
Pierce Oil	7-4	7-4	7-4
Producers & Ref.	23-3	26-6	69-3
Pullman Co.	138	138-4	139
Pure Oil	31-3	30-7	61
Rail Steel Spring	138-4	167-4	168-2
Ray Cons.	15-7	15-5	15-7
Reading	77	76-6	74-6
Replogle Steel	16	18	15
Rep. Iron & Steel	53-3	51	50-4
Royal Dutch	56-3	55-3	55-5
Savage Arms	96-1	96	90
Sears Roebuck	153-4	166-4	159-4
Shell Union	26-6	26	26-3
Simms Pete	31	31	31
Sinclair Cons.	68	21-7	68
Sloss Sheffield	80-4	80	80
Southern Pacific	103-6	104-4	105
Southern Railway	83-6	83-3	83-3
Standard Oil Cal.	64-1	63-4	64
Standard Oil N.J.	44-5	43-7	44-3
Standard Oil Ind.	67	66	67
Stewart Warner	72-6	71-4	71-4
Stromberg Carb.	67-7	67-7	67-7
Studebaker	44	43-6	43-4
Tennessee Copper	8-5	8-5	8-5
Texas Co.	47-4	47-1	47-4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	106	101-3	101-6
Texas Pacific R.R.	57-6	53-3	57-4
Texas Pacific C. & O.	13-7	13-3	13-4
Timken Roller	42-4	41-4	42-4
Tobacco Prod.	78-4	77-3	78-7
Tobacco Prod. A	88-1	87-3	88
Transcont. Oil	4-7	4-5	4-5
Union Pacific	151	150	151
United Fruit	213	218	213
U.S. Ind. Alco.	89-2	80-5	80-5
U.S. Rubber	41-3	40-7	41-5
U.S. Steel	124-5	123	124-4
Utah Copper	80-4	80-4	80-4
Vanadium	37	37	37
Wabash	64-4	63-3	64-4
Western Union	131-5	131-5	131-3
Westing. Electric	73-7	71-7	76-6
White Motor	64	64	64
Willys Overland	10	10	10
Willys Over., pfd.	75-6	75-4	75-6
Wilson Packing	7-6	7-3	7-2
Woolworth	116-6	116	118-2

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Foreign exchanges steady. Quotations in cents. Great Britain—Demand 476½; cables 476⅝; 60-day bills on banks 473⅝. France—Demand 5.24½; cables 5.25. Italy—Demand 4.03¾; cables 4.10¼. Belgium—Demand 5.03½; cables 5.06. Germany—Demand 23.80. Norway—Demand 13.88. Sweden—Demand 66.33. Denmark—Demand 17.33. Switzerland—Demand 19.62. Spain—Demand 14.61. Greece—Demand 1.59. Poland—Demand .16¼. Czecho-Slovakia—Demand 2.96½. Jugo-Slavia—Demand 1.66. Austria—Demand .0014¼. Roumania—Demand .38⅝. Argentina—Demand 38.27. Brazil—Demand 11.33. Tokio—Demand 39⅝. Montreal—66 23-33.

NEW YORK CURB

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)
2 O'CLOCK LIST

Industrials	Bid.	Asked.
Acme Coal	73	95
Centrifugal	19½	20¼
Checker Cab	19	24
Durant Del.	17	17½
Mesabi	3½	4
Stutz	7	7½
Reo	16½	18½
Tob. Prod. Ex.	3¾	4
Un. Profit Shar.	8¾	8⅞
Un. Retail Candy	6⅝	7½
Cities Serv., com.	204¾	208½
Cities Serv., pfd.	82	82¼
Cities Serv., Bkrs.	20⅝	20½
American Gas	74¼	75
Lehigh Power	98	100
National Power	155	156½
Oils		
Carib	3⅝	4
Federal	60	35
Glenrock	28	25
Int. Pete.	26¾	27
Marl Mexico		3⅝
Mexico Oil	10	12
Continental Oil	67⅝	28
Noble Oil	11	13
Pennock	22½	32¾
Ryan Cons.	1⅝	2
Sapulpa		2
Salt Cr. Prod.	24½	24¾
Salt Cr. Cons.	7½	7¾
Wilcox	6	6¼
Creole Synd.	3½	3¾
Jib	28	31
Mines		
Ariz. Globe	61	25
Butte & West	12	15
Cal. Jerome	15	20
Cons. Copper	6 6-16	6 11-16
Cresson	2½	2¾
Delorea	60	66
Eureka	18	10
Hecla	14¼	14½
Hollinger	14¼	14¾
Howe Sound	62¾	34
Ind. Lead	16	18
J. C. Dev.	1¼	1½
Kerr Lake	1⅝	3
Mason Valley	1⅝	1½
Nipissing	6¾	6⅝
Ohio Cop.	1	1 1-16
Success	10	13
Teck Hughes	1 5-16	1 7-16
Un. Eastern	32	87
Un. Verde	24	28¼
Wayne Coal	35	45

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths.)

Abitibi	63-4
Asbestos	44
Bell Telephone	135
Brompton Paper	30
Brazilian Trac.	34
Can. Cement, com.	103-7
Can. Cement, pfd.	111
Canadian Car Foundry, com.	33-6
Canadian Car Foundry, pfd.	86
Can. S.S., com.	12-4
Can. S.S., pfd.	47-2
Canadian Cottons	116
Canadian Converters	84
Cons. M. & S.	68-2
Detroit United	67
Dominion Bridge	36
Dominion Canners	92-6
Dominion Glass	114
Dominion Textile	69-4
Lake of Woods Milling	188
Laurentide Co.	83
National Breweries	62
Mackay Co.	117-6
Atlantic Sugar	36
Ontario Steel	43-4
Howard Smith	24
Ogilvie Milling Co.	130
Ottawa Power	103
Penmans, Limited	150
Montreal Power	170-7
Shawinigan	133-4
Spanish River Pulp	136-4
Spanish River Pulp, pfd.	121-4
Steel of Canada	37
Royal Bank	233
Bank of Commerce	137
Twin City Electric	34

FOREIGN BONDS

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Argentine 6's, 1957	93½
Belgian 7's, 1945	101¾
French 7½'s, 1941	93¾
French 8's, 1945	102¾
Norway 6's, 1936	93⅝
Seine 7's, 1942	86½

Dow Jones Summary

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40 leading bonds, 91.70, up 21, new 1925 high.

20 industrials, 119.71, off .36.

20 active rails, 99.18, off .37.

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FLURRY FAILS TO BOOST WHEAT PRICES

Winnipeg Market Opens Strong and Bulls Attempt Aggression, But Demand Weakens

WINNIPEG, Feb. 20. — Despite strength at the opening of the wheat market today, a combination of bullish factors failed to boost prices. May was 1 cent down at $1.95¼, while July closed at $1.89, a loss of 1⅝ cents.

The stage was all set for an active, strong market, but following a temporary flurry, which was taken care of, the market fell away and remained steady until weakness developed shortly before the finish.

A rumor was current on the exchange that Spain was negotiating for the importation of 2,000,000 bushels of wheat. The reported purchase yesterday by Russia of 70,000 tons of flour was confirmed today.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	127½	132	193⅝	135¼
July	133	136	182	189
Oct.	147	147	142⅛a	146¼
Oats—				
May	64	64	61½	61⅝
July	65	65	62⅝	63a
Oct.	53	58	57⅛a	57⅝a
Barley—				
May	67½	67⅝	56½	66⅝b
July	64	64	33⅛a	62⅛a
Oct.	33½	63½	31⅛a	31⅝b
Flax—				
May	234	264	263	264
July	262¼	663¼	261⅜	232b
Oct.	646	640	637⅜	640a
Rye—				
May	160½	160⅝b	136¼	136⅝b
July	154½	133⅝b	155	153⅝

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 193¼; 2 nor., 138; 3 nor., 184½; No. 4, 174¼; No. 5, 167¼; No. 6, 157¼; feed, 133¼; track, 193¼.

Oats—2 cw., 59⅝; 3 cw., 55½; extra 1 feed, 55⅝; 1 feed, 53½; 2 feed, 48⅝; rejected, 43⅝; track, 59⅝.

Barley—3 cw., 94½; 4 cw., 88½; rejected, 82¼; feed, 80½; track, 94½.

Flax—1 nwc., 259¾; 2 cw., 254½; 3 cw., 248; rejected, 248; track, 259¾.

Rye—2 cw., 155⅝.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Mining	Bid	Asked
Boundary Red Mountain	.10	
Bowena Copper	..	.10
Cons. M. & S.	..	65.00
Cork Province	.05	..
Douglas Channel	..	.03
Dunwell Mines	3.50	4.30
Eldorado	..	.40
Glacier Creek	.01	.03
Granby	18.00	..
Hazelton Gold Cobalt	..	.06
Hemlock Creek Placer	..	.02
Howe Sound	2.72	3.20
Independence	.14	.16
Indian Mines	.06	.10
International Coal	..	.46
McGillivray Coal	.62	.75
Premier Mines	2.25	2.50
Rufus	.12	..
Sheep Creek Cons.	..	.00½
Silver Crest Mines	.17	.23
Silversmith	..	.25
Standard Silver Lead	..	.20
Sunloch Mines	.20	..
Surf Inlet Gold	.07	..
Terminus	.60	.75
L. & L. Glacier	.25	.33
Selkirk	.04½	.05
Oils		
Boundary Bay Oil	..	.60 1-16
Empire Oil	..	.00½
Spartan Oil	..	.00½
Sweetgrass	..	.06⅝
Trojan Oil	.01½	.06
Utility Oil	..	.00½
B.C. Montana	..	.00⅝
Miscellaneous		
B.C. Perm. Loan	67.00	..
Canada National Fire	..	40.00
C. P. R.	147.60	152.00
Great West Perm. Loan	..	20
Gregory T. & R.	..	2.00
Amal. Appliance	..	.40

Wholesale Row

(Revised February 20)

Eggs		
Fresh Extras (scarce), doz.		.44
Fresh Firsts (scarce), doz.		.38
Fresh Pullet Extras (scarce), doz.		.40
Butter		
Prints, special bricks, cartons		.40
Prints, No. 1		.36
Prints, No. 2	.36	.38
Dairy solids		.38½
Dairy prints		.36½
Cheese		
B.C. large, lb.		.26
B.C. twins, lb.		.26½
B.C. triplets, lb.		.33
Alberta solids, lb.		.32
Alberta twins, lb.		.32½
Alberta triplets, lb.		.33
Alberta stiltons, lb.		.28
Ontario solids, lb.		.25½
Ontario twins, lb.		.26
Ontario triplets, lb.		.34
Ontario stiltons, Sept. make, lb.		.30
Lard		
Pure Lard—Tierces basis, per lb.		.20
Compound—Tierces basis, per lb.		.17
Vegetables		
Beets, new, per sack		M.P.
Cabbage, per lb.		M.P.
Carrots, new, per sack		M.P.
Cauliflower, doz.		M.P.
Head Lettuce, Cal.		M.P.
Onions, Okanagan, per lb.		.02½
Onions, Yakima Spanish (sacks), lb.		.04
Parsnips, per sack		M.P.
Potatoes, local, per sack		M.P.
Potatoes, dry belt, White, per sack		M.P.
Potatoes, dry belt, Gems, per sack		M.P.
Potatoes, Yakima Gems		M.P.
Sweet Potatoes, Golden Glow		5.33
Turnips, sack		M.P.
Hothouse Rhubarb		M.P.
Fruits		
Apples—Winesaps		M.P.
Yellow Newtowns		M.P.
Gano		M.P.
Saloma		M.P.
Bananas, lb., .10; crated		.11
Cranberries, 50-lb. boxes		10.75
Grapefruit, Florida	6.00	6.56
Grapefruit, Cal. Sunkist	4.33	3.00
Lemons, case	3.75	6.75
Oranges—New Navels, according to size, per case	4.00	6.25
Pears, cooking, per box		2.00
Grapes—		
Almeria, sawdust lugs		4.75

SUGAR

B. C. Refinery—	
White, per hundred	7.10
Yellow, per hundred	6.36

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.80	$54.00
Gr. Barley	3.00	56.00
Corn	3.00	52.00
Cracked Corn	3.10	60.00
Feed Cornmeal	3.10	60.00
Oats	2.30	54.00
Oats, Ground	1.60	36.00
Scratch Food	3.10	60.00
Poultry Mash	1.70	33.00
Marvel Egg Mash	2.85	55.00

FLOUR

Retail	49-lb. Sack
Snowflake	$2.00
Purity	3.00
Maple Leaf	3.00
Royal Standard	3.00
Royal Household	3.00
B. & K. Flour	3.00
Five Roses	3.00
B. & K. Pastry	3.30
Whole Wheat	2.50

MEAT

Pork		.16
Beef, No. 1 Steers		.13
Lamb		.33
Lard	.20	.26
Veal	.14	.20
Bacon		.35
Mutton		.26
Hams		.36
Turkey	.34	.40
Geese		.30
Ducks		.36
Chicken	.35	.37
Fowl	.24	.30

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Feb. 20.—Eggs weak; butter firmer, and cheese unchanged.

Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 31½c; No. 1 creamery, 30½c.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 52c; fresh firsts, 48c.

Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 80c to 90c.

ORANGES ADVANCE ON LOCAL MARKET

A distinct advance in the price of oranges has been the feature of the local produce markets this week. Yesterday's quotations for new navels were up to $4 to $6.25 per case, according to size. The old prices ran from $3 to $5.50. These are wholesale figures.

Eggs have been quiet during the latter part of the week. Quotations yesterday were unchanged. Butter and cheese also show no activity.

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 20.—Wheat: The stage was all set for May wheat to go over $2.00 again. Cables strong following a substantial advance yesterday. United Kingdom importers and millers in bullish frame of mind, statistical news generally favorable to higher prices, and everything appeared to be in order for a bull market, then somebody put out the lights and the big act was deferred for another time. Closing figures were 1 cent to 1 5-8 cents lower after another disappointing session. The action of the market during the past two days has dampened the enthusiasm of the bulls. On every bulge the buying power disappeared and the demand was easily satisfied by scattered selling.

The May future continued to show the greatest relative strength. Trade volume was not large although there was spreading in a small way buying the May against sales of July, widening the difference to 6 1-4 cents, the widest so far. Also some buying of Winnipeg May and selling Chicago May at a ten cents difference and a good class of selling Winnipeg October against purchases of Chicago July and September.

It is easy to juggle statistics so as to make either a bull of a bear argument, but unless the export demand, which is undoubtedly fair, greatly improves, holders of cash wheat now will become discouraged and take a loss as this wheat hedged in the nearby months does not look like good property.

Coarse Grains: Heavy throughout the session. Export interest lacking. Trade in oats fairly large but sentiment bearish with 6 1-2 million bushels of contract oats at the head of the Lakes, and no export demand in sight. Unless more interest develops on the buying side soon it looks as if the bulk will be transferred to the July position at a full carrying charge which is not a bullish outlook. Trade in the other grains not large. Some talk of reselling of rye by Germany, indicating that that country is not in urgent need of this commodity.

Flax: Neglected.—C. & M.

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 20.—Wheat: The market action today displayed two features. One was the absence of any active outside buying on the bulges, and the other was the absence of liquidation on the dips. These two features keep the market within narrow bounds, with an extremely nervous action. Cables were 1½ to 2d. higher, and this caused an early buying spurt, after which the market became draggy. On the dip there was sufficient buying by commission houses to turn the market upward, and there was some buying on the larger clearances, for the week 6,673,000 bushels, the largest in some time. Receipts are moderate here and in the West, but the actual shortage so long expected is not materializing, either in this country or abroad. For the time being we look for a trading market, and would operate on an extremely conservative basis, until the market shows more indications of a major swing one way or the other.

Corn: The tone became weak late in the day. Cash corn was slightly firmer for the lower grades, but cash sales were still moderate at 60,000 bushels, and the lack of active buying offsets the effect of smaller receipts. Latter, however, were quite liberal at 178 cars. The market is in a trading position as in wheat. It will take more active buying support of an influential sort to maintain rallies. For the time being, however, would not care to press the declines.

Oats: This market was sick and the decline which occurred did not bring in any big export business or even domestic buying of any big proportions, sales being 87,000 bushels. The general news showed little change and the market lacks any bull initiative.

Rye: Prices generally were weak and the lack of any acute situation abroad was indicated by Germany cancelling purchases of 120,000 bushels at 3 to 4 cents loss. With so much cheap rye at the seaboard it would seem that Europe would absorb it quickly if food area needs keen as claimed.

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free		
1927, 1st June and Dec.	106.50	103.50
1933, 1st May and Nov.	106.12	107.16
1937, 1st June and Dec.	108.45	108.43
War Loan, 5%—Tax Free		
1925, 1st June and Dec.	100.20	101.26
1931, 1st April and Oct.	101.25	103.25
1937, 1st Mar and Sept.	103.60	104.60
(Payable New York)		
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1924, 1st May and Nov.	100.60	......
1927, 1st May and Nov.	101.75	102.75
1933, 1st May and Nov.	103.30	104.30
1934, 1st May and Nov.	104.00	106.00
Dominion Loan, 5%		
1925, 15th April and Oct.	100.45	101.65
1943, 13th April and Oct.	101.00	102.60

MONEY MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Call money, easier; high, 3; low, 3; ruling rate, 3; closing bid, 3; offered at 3¼; last loan, 3; call loans, against acceptances, 2¼. Time loans, steady, mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 3⅝; 4-6 months, 4. Prime commercial paper, 3⅝ per cent.

At London

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Money, 3¼ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills 3⅝ @ 3 11-16 per cent; three months' bills, 3 13-16 per cent.

Dow Jones' Averages

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Twenty rails, 99.97, up .79.

Twenty industrials, 121.64, up 1.92.

Business

P. G. E. Manager Gives His Views on Railroad—Scores Political Propaganda Against Line

Drastic criticism of the political propaganda which has been carried on in connection with the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, and a suggestion that the people in their own interests as taxpayers get together and arrange a mass meeting with a view to conferring with the government with the object of ending the uncertainty by deciding in the interests of the province whether or not the maintenance and operation of the line should be continued, was made by Mr. Thomas Kilpatrick, general manager of the railway, before the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy.

Views Are Expressed

A symposium on this vital topic has been prepared, and many prominent practical and technical men are giving their views on the subject during the day's sessions. Agricultural, water power and engineering phases of the question are included in the discussion.

Mr. Kilpatrick said that a few weeks ago a conference of premiers of British Columbia and Alberta, executives of the two big railways and the Federal Minister of Railways had taken place at Ottawa to go into the P.G.E. question. The solution had been sought by leaving the matter in the hands of the chief executives of the railways. He complained that while the matter was acutally under advisement certain portions of the press had been endeavoring to sway public opinion for motives not in the interests of the general public.

Press Reports Colored

"Since that conference I have been giving the matter much consideration and am of the opinion that some of these press reports have been written with a desire to secure some local or interested advantage instead of taking a liberal view of the whole question," he charged.

"An influential Winnipeg paper has also come out with the statement that the P.G.E. should be discarded. This kind of criticism is manifestly unfair, particularly while the matter is at the present time under investigation and consideration.

Alleges Propaganda

"A consistent propaganda has been carried out in a portion of the press and other sources for the building of a line from Brule or Obed on the C.N.R., in a northerly direction, about 200 miles to Sturgeon Lake, through a district of little attraction to farmers. From Sturgeon Lake it is proposed to build a branch of approximately 100 miles to Grand Prairie, this being a terminus of a branch line to the E., D. & B. C. Railway and also to build another line to McLennan, a point on the E., D. & B. C. Railway. Both these points have railway facilities at the present time, but the proposed connection would, no doubt, reduce the mileage."

In making a plea for the maintenance and completion of the P.G.E. the general manager urged that sufficient revenue to take care of operating expenses should be furnished, for he felt convinced that the railway would yet be an important factor in developing the Peace River district.

Recommends Mass Meeting

"This political propaganda against the railway has had a serious detrimental effect. It should be discontinued. I suggest that the people in their own interests as taxpayers get together and arrange a strong get-together movement and confer with the government with a view to ending the uncertainty by deciding in the interests of the province whether or not the maintenance and operation of the line should be continued," he suggested.

"If it is decided to continue to maintain and operate the railway every effort should be made to develop the resources adjacent to the railway, secure more passenger equipment, and advertise scenic attractions—go after the tourist business. In this way we might help to wipe out the annual deficit."

Major W. G. Swan bluntly asserted that in his opinion it would be poor business to attempt to tap the Peace River country by the P.G.E. to Vancouver. The railway had an indebtedness of almost $45,000,000 and was losing $2,000,000 annually. It would cost about $8,000,000 to replace temporary structures, and much work would have to be done to reduce the high grades, which were chiefly between Clinton and Lillooet.

"Why not run it into Vancouver?" he was asked.

"That would be financial madness," he said. "It would cost something like $90,000 a mile."

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Sterling steady at $4.73⅝ for 60-day bills and $4.76½ for demand. Canadian dollars, 99⅞.

At Victoria

Buying, 4.75. Selling, 4.78½.

BAR SILVER

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Bar silver, 68⅝. Mexican dollars, 52⅝.

At London

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Bar silver, 32 3-16d per ounce.

KAMLOOPS MEMBER DENIES ALLEGATIONS

Declares No Sales to Government Have Been Made From His Store Since Election

KAMLOOPS, Feb. 20.—Told of a published report to the effect that plans were going ahead to unseat him on the ground that sales were made under contract from his store to the Government, J. H. Colley, M.P.P. for Kamloops, declared today that no sales had been made from his store to the Government at any time since the election. This was the first he had heard of such a suggestion, he asserted.

"We had been in the habit of selling to the Provincial Government road department for years, but of course these sales came to an end whenever I offered myself for election."

Mr. McGeer Returning

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.—G. G. McGeer, K.C., who has been in Ottawa representing this Province before the Supreme Court of Canada at the Prairie Provinces' appeal for restoration of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement rates, is expected back in Vancouver Sunday morning.

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PROVINCIAL ASSESSOR, Parliament Buildings.

Changes Noted on Montreal Exchange

MONTREAL, Feb. 20.—Atlantic Sugar issues continued to play a prominent part in the trading of today's market. The common led in activity, closing at the new high of 34, up 1½. The preferred closed at 80½. Second in activity came Montreal Power. This stock registered an advance of a point at 171. Winnipeg Railway common closed at 41⅝, up 2⅝. Ogilvie preferred closed at a new high of 126, up 3½. Penman's closed at 148, ex-dividend, down 2. Other changes: Brompton off 1; Canadian Car off 1; Canadian Cotton "A" off 1⅝; Canadian Steamships preferred off ⅛; Smelters off ⅛; Dominion Bridge up 1; Dominion Canners off ⅛; Dominion Textile up ¾; Mackay off 1; Winnipeg Electric up 1¼; Ontario Steel up ⅛.

METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Copper firm; electrolytic, spot, 14⅝.

Tin, spot and nearby, $57.25; futures, $57.50.

Iron unchanged.

Lead, spot, $9.12 to $9.25.

Zinc steady; East St. Louis, spot and futures, $7.60.

Antimony, spot, $20.50.

At London

Standard copper, spot, £65; futures, £65 7s 6d.

Electrolytic, spot, £69 10s; futures, £70.

Tin, spot, £263 12s 6d; futures, £266 2s 6d.

Lead, spot, £38 12s 6d; futures, £37; futures, £36 7s 6d.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Raw sugar, $4.59. Refined, $5.90.

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Timely Tips and Suggestions on the Latest Diagrams and Hook-ups—Simplified.

By F. M. Russell

How to Home-Wind Low Loss Coils

Low Loss is a term used to describe instruments used in radio reception that have low dielectric

losses. This means simply that the units are constructed with as little insulation as possible. A perfect inductance would be one supported entirely with aid, but as this is impossible the next best is one held together with an adhesive such as collodion.

Most transformers and couplers are wound in the form of solenoids. The method illustrated is for this type coil.

Two bottles are necessary, one smaller than the other by about a quarter of an inch. On these are wound the proper number of turns for whatever instrument is desired. A radio frequency transformer should be made as follows: Wind eight turns of wire on the smaller bottle and sixty-five on the larger. Keep the wire taut and wind it as tight to the bottle as possible, keeping the wires close together. When finished, fasten both ends to the bottles with a strip of adhesive tape. Next coat the surface of the wire with a light application of the collodion. When this is dry merely break the bottles from the inside of the coils and the result will be two strictly Low Loss coils. This principal can be applied to the winding of any type tuning unit.—Copyright, 1925, by S.N.L. Technical Syndicate.

TODAY'S RADIO

Programme of Principal Western Broadcasting Stations

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (Pacific, 469)—6:45 to 7 p.m., speaker; 7 to 8 p.m., dance orchestra and soloist; 8 to 9 p.m., Electa Felt Ferry, contralto; Mary Teitsworth, soprano, and Georgia Woodruff, mezzo-soprano, in solo and trio-classic, Spanish and operatic numbers; 9 to 10 p.m., programme from Examiner Studio; 10 to 11 p.m., Packard Radio Club; Ruth and Lilah Chrison, Barney Weber.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (Pacific, 361)—3 p.m., studio programme; 10 p.m. to 1 a.m., dance music programme by Henry Halstead's orchestra and soloists, Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (Pacific, 485)—10 p.m., Colburn's Melody Men of the Hotel Portland.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (Pacific, 404)—12:30 to 1:30 p.m., programme presenting Hi Moulton and his orchestra; 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., matinee musicale by courtesy of the Pacific States Electric Company, presenting KHJ's Saturday afternoon frolic; 6 to 6:30 p.m., broadcasting Art Hickman's concert orchestra from the Biltmore Hotel, under the direction of Edward Fitzpatrick; 10 to 11 p.m., Art Hickman's dance orchestra from the Biltmore Hotel; 11:30 p.m., "Pep" programme presenting the "Lost Angels of Los Angeles," arranged by Charlie Wellman.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (Pacific, 430)—1 to 2 p.m., Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orchestra; 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Navy "Jazz" Band of Mare Island; 3:30 to 5:30 p.m., tea dansant, Gene James' Rose Room Bowl orchestra; 5:30 p.m., "What Is Playing at the Various Theatres"; 8 to 9 p.m., programme by the U.S. Army Band; 10 to 12 p.m., dance music by Art Weidner's orchestra, playing in the Fairmont Hotel.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (Pacific, 450)—4 to 5:15 p.m., The Times, Wm. F. Hoffman's Olympic Hotel concert orchestra; 6:45 to 8:15 p.m., Rhodes Department Store programme; dance music; Betty Winningham, juvenile prodigy, in two groups of songs; 8:30 to 10 p.m., The Seattle Times concert; 10 to 11 p.m., Eddie Harkness and his orchestra playing from the Marine Room of the Olympic Hotel.

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

TREELESS CHINA MAY AID CANADA

MR. FRANK BARNJUM LEAVES FOR ORIENT ON RUSSIA

Is Going to Study Canada's Chances of Timber Trade — Has Been Fighting for Embargo

In one short sentence Mr. Frank J. D. Barnjum, Canada's most prolific apostle of forest preservation, gave his reason for his first trip to the Orient, just before his departure on the Empress of Canada this morning.

"I'm going out to China to see what Canada is coming to in a few years."

China, with its teeming millions, is practically treeless. Mr. Barnjum is anxious to see how people get along under such conditions, and whether there is not an opportunity for Canada to expand her lumber market in this direction.

A smart-looking man in his fifties, Mr. Barnjum fairly early in life made a fortune in timber. Then he appointed himself a sort of national custodian, a propagandist extraordinary for the preservation of Canada's timber. Recently he has been demanding an embargo against the shipment of pulpwood to the United States. Becoming somewhat irritated at the lack of official action to back up what he believed was the public opinion on this matter in this country, he one day issued an announcement of giving up the fight and leaving Canada for good. But he got such a pleasant and whole-hearted reaction from this threat that he has decided to stay on the job for a few years yet.

Invaluable Asset

"I talked with an official of your forestry department here and I told him that all the Government of this Province needs to do is simply to hold a tight rein on its timber resources. You have the last great forest of this continent and it will be worth so much in a few years that any estimates today would simply fail to adequately portray even a hazy idea of values," said Mr. Barnjum. He added: "The laws of supply and demand will solve most of Canada's problems finally, I am sure. But that is not true of timber. When timber is burned or eaten by insects, it is gone for good. Denudation is making the country drier every year. In some particularly dry season, the whole of Northern Ontario and Quebec may burn, and that will be the end of the timbering industry in those districts. My campaign is not only for an embargo, but in favor of a large scheme for fire protection. Take Canada's timber away from her and how shall we get along in the future?"

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N.Y.A.K. AND T.K.K. MERGER COMPLETED

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT IS RECEIVED HERE

Amalgamation Will Permit N.Y.K. to Proceed With Transpacific Development

It was learned here yesterday from unofficial sources that the merger between the Nippon Yusen Kaisha and the Toyo Kisen Kaisha, two of Japanese leading steamship lines, both in the transpacific service, the former operating between Yokohama and Victoria and Seattle, has been completed.

Several vain attempts have been made to amalgamate these two lines, but the last attempt seemed more optimistic, especially in view of the fact that the Japanese Government withheld its subsidy on these lines until such time as the amalgamation was consummated.

The T.K.K. finances were in a bad shape, but the merger with the N.Y.K. will not only put this company on its feet but will strengthen the N.Y.K., placing it in the premier position of any maritime organization in Japan, and at the same time helping that company to carry out its transpacific development.

Together with this announcement it was learned that the Hakata Maru is making her last trip on the transpacific run and on her return to Yokohama will be replaced by either the Asuka Maru or Ataga Maru, both brand new liners recently launched from British yards and fitted with Diesel engines.

HOPE ABANDONED FOR HAYSPORT II

H.M.C.S. MALASPINA FAILS TO FIND TRACE OF SHIP

No Wreckage Discovered on Surface of Millbank Sound — Search Shores But Crew Missing

VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.—Mystery surrounds the whereabouts of the auxiliary schooner Haysport II, and as the Government patrol boat Malaspina failed to find the least vestige in Millbank Sound yesterday there is now some question of her having gone down. The Haysport II left Nanoose on January 20 for Skagway with a cargo of dynamite.

All trace of the boat was lost after the Canadian Pacific coast steamer Princess Mary sighted her on January 25 a little south of Millbank Sound.

Patrol Boat Sent

Major J. A. Motherwell, inspector of fisheries, sent the patrol boat Malaspina to search the vicinity of Millbank Sound, and yesterday the following message was received:

"Aboard H.M.C.S. Malaspina: Have made complete search of all shores adjacent to Millbank Sound and find nothing to indicate Haysport II wrecked in that vicinity. Lighthouse-keeper at Ivory Island claims to have heard nothing of an explosion nor seen any wreckage of any kind from the Haysport or any other boat recently."

The statement of the lighthouse-keeper that he had found no wreckage was a surprise to the owners here who understood that some cases marked "Carcrose" had been picked up near the lighthouse on that island.

Shores of islands near Millbank Sound have been searched by the Malaspina for the four members of the crew, who were all local men, but without any success, and their fate, like that of the ship, is still a mystery.

Something Should Float

Navigators here state that a wooden ship always leaves some trace of her fate if she sinks, and some part of her deck cargo, pilot house, lifebelts or lifeboat would float, and with an average of eight boats a day passing up and down these inside waterways it is doubtful if the boat could completely disappear from sight without leaving some trace.

The owners stated yesterday that they were helpless and unable to throw any light on the mystery.

Making First Trip After Annual Overhaul

C. P. SS. EMPRESS OF RUSSIA

WILL STANDARDIZE VESSELS' ENGINES

Canadian Fishing Co., Ltd., Places Order for Four Diesel Engines—May Purchase Six More

SEATTLE, Feb. 20.—With a view of standardizing the power plants of the vessels of its fleet, the Canadian Fishing Co., Ltd., Vancouver, B. C., has made arrangements for the purchase of four Washington-Estep Diesel engines, constructed here. They will be installed in new seine boats under construction in British Columbia.

The contract will provide for the possible purchase of six similar engines, provided present plans of the Canadian Fishing Company materialize.

The Canadian Fishing Company is desirous of adopting one particular make of engine as a standard for its fleet. It is the company's first experience with full Diesel engines.

RUSSIA DUE HERE MONDAY MORNING

HAS LARGE PASSENGER LIST AND BIG SILK CARGO

Raw Silk Cargo Is Valued at $4,000,000—Three Hundred Passengers on Board

With a passenger list of 300 and cargo amounting to 2,000 tons, the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Russia will arrive from the Far East on Monday, probably a few hours late owing to the rough weather which is prevailing off this coast. Included in the cargo is a consignment of 640 tons of silk valued at nearly $4,000,000.

Approximately 350 tons of this freight will move by way of the Panama Canal to gulf and east coast ports, while another 150 tons will be discharged here, together with a big consignment of mail, the majority of which will be transhipped to Seattle.

This is the first trip of the Empress of Russia since her overhaul at Hong Kong, where she was in drydock for nearly three weeks. The Empress of Australia is now undergoing overhaul and is the last of the C.P.R. liners to be laid up in Hong Kong for the annual reconditioning.

Early this morning the Empress of Canada will sail for the Orient after taking aboard a number of London passengers who have crossed Canada on a special train, put on by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to give dispatch for overland passengers and mail.

With the completion of the Empress of Australia's overhaul, the C.P.R. will resume its former transpacific schedule in time to accommodate the early Spring rush to the Old Country and the Summer tourist travel.

HIGH RATES CAUSE OF RISE OF BREAD

TRANSPORTATION COSTS INCREASE BREAD PRICES

Total Cost of Carriage From Calgary to London Amounts to Seventy-Two Shillings a Unit

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Some interesting figures dealing with the rise to eleven pence in the price of the four-pound loaf in England were given at the annual meeting of the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom by John Denholm, its newly-elected president, today. Denholm is a prominent shipowner in the West Indies sugar trade.

The new president said that the total cost of carriage of Canadian wheat from Calgary to London amounted to 72 shillings a unit, of which 58 went to the railways and 14 to the liner. In other words, the transport cost represented one and a half pence on a four-pound loaf, of which the liner got a farthing and the railways a penny and a farthing.

Referring to Canadian criticisms in connection with ocean cattle rates, Mr. Denholm said that Canada must realize that she could not exclude British goods and obtain the same favorable trade treatment.

Before the war as much as sixty per cent of the steamer space on the voyage to Canada was unoccupied; now it ran into 75 or even 90 per cent, he pointed out.

FIREBUG WORKED AS FIRE FIGHTER

Losses in Portland Amounting to Million Dollars Charged to Activities of Fireman

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 20.—Chester C. Buchtel, fireman attached to engine company No. 23 as assistant engineer, was arrested by fire officials as the firebug who in the last year and a half has set fires that caused a loss that may exceed $1,000,000. He confessed setting twenty fires with a total loss of about $50,000.

Buchtel took fire officials through places where he admitted that he started the fires, showed them how he did it, how he entered the buildings, and how he so placed the inflammable material that it would get the quickest results. Time and again it was brought out that he would start a fire, then return to his fire company, answer the alarm and work his hardest to put out the very blaze that he had set.

In addition to the twenty fires that he confessed, the fire officials allege that he set most of the big fires that have caused heavy property losses, even with loss of life, in the past year and a half.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

PORTLAND, Feb. 20.—Arrived: Clauseus, New York and way; Sachsen, Hamburg; Cardiganshire, London and way; Curacao, San Diego and way ports. Sailed: Charles Cramp, New York; Waspama, San Francisco.

SEATTLE, Feb. 20.—Arrived: Port Angeles, Anacortes; Silverado, J. C. Kirkpatrick, Tacoma; Crofton Hall, Everett; F. S. Loop, Emma Alexander, San Francisco; Salina, San Pedro; West Ison, Bellingham; Anyox, Vancouver. Sailed: Crofton Hall, Astoria; Lebec, San Pedro; Admiral Schley, Caddopeak, Stanley Dollar, San Francisco; Silverado, Everett; Pennsylvanian, Charlie Watson, Tacoma; President Grant, Kobe.

KETCHIKAN, Feb. 20.—Sailed: Admiral Rogers, southbound.

TACOMA, Feb. 20. — Arrived: Philoctetes, Yokohama; Chilliwack, Britannia Beach; Dorothy Wintermote, San Pedro. Sailed: Silverado, Brookdale, San Francisco; Admiral Sebree, Seattle; Hanna Nielsen, Astoria.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Arrived: Elizabeth, Handon; Alvarado, Umpqua; Yale, Admiral Dewey, San Pedro. Sailed: Glendale, Eagle Harbor; W. S. Miller, Utacarbin, San Pedro; Chehalis, Grays Harbor; Edna Christensen, Grays Harbor.

Arrived

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Melville Dollar, San Francisco.

MANILA, Feb. 20.—President McKinley, Tacoma; President Pierce, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 20.—Hawaii Maru, Seattle.

LISBON, Feb. 19.—Empress of Scotland, New York.

Sailed

CRISTOBAL, Feb. 19.—Manchuria, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 19.—Shidzuoka Maru, Seattle.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20.—Jacob Luckenbach, Seattle.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

Africa Maru, Orient, February 20.
President Jackson, Orient, February 21.
Empress of Russia, Orient, February 23.
Shidzuoka Maru, Orient, March 4.
Makura, Australia, March 8.
Arabia Maru, Orient, March 7.
Empress of Australia, Orient, March 11.
Tekiwa Maru, Orient, March 14.
President McKinley, Orient, March 17.
Arizona Maru, Orient, March 23.
Empress of Asia, Orient, March 23.
Yokohama Maru, Orient, March 27.
President Jefferson, Orient, March 29.

To Sail

President Grant, Orient, February 20.
Empress of Canada, Orient, February 20.
Iyo Maru, Orient, February 25.
President Madison, Orient, March 4.
Empress of Russia, Orient, March 8.
Africa Maru, Orient, March 8.
Makura, Australia, March 11.
President Jackson, Orient, March 18.
Shidzuoka Maru, Orient, March 18.
Arabia Maru, Orient, March 23.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter, Feb. 11, left Panama Canal for Victoria.
Canadian Highlander, Feb. 8, arrived Birkenhead.
Canadian Importer, Jan. 31, left Norfolk for Antwerp.
Canadian Inventor, Feb. 13, left Yokohama for Kobe.
Canadian Planter, Feb. 12, arrived Rabaul.
Canadian Prospector, Feb. 3, left Neuvitas for Vancouver.
Canadian Skirmisher, Feb. 9, left Panama Canal for United Kingdom.
Canadian Spinner, Feb. 10, arrived Halifax.
Canadian Transporter, Feb. 16, arrived Victoria.
Canadian Winner, Feb. 3, left Victoria for Boston.
Canadian Coaster, Feb. 9, left Ocean Falls for Astoria.
Canadian Farmer, Feb. 16, arrived Nanaimo.
Canadian Observer, Feb. 14, arrived San Francisco.
Canadian Rover, Feb. 11, left Nanaimo for Ocean Falls.
Canadian Trooper, Feb. 7 left Vancouver for Sydney.
Canadian Volunteer, Feb. 5, left Panama Canal.
Canadian Ranger, Feb. 9, left San Francisco for United Kingdom.
Canadian Pioneer, Feb. 10, arrived San Pedro.
Canadian Miller, Feb. 13, arrived Alberni.
Canadian Voyageur, Jan. 30, left Panama Canal for Victoria.

COASTWISE SAILINGS

To Vancouver

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Victoria to Lake Cowichan, 9 a.m. Wednesday and Saturday.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

FEBRUARY

China and Japan

Empress of Asia—Mails close Feb. 6, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, Feb. 18; Shanghai, Feb. 23; Hong Kong, Feb. 26.

President Jefferson—Mails close Feb. 8, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, Feb. 20; Shanghai, Feb. 25; Hong Kong, March 1.

Alabama Maru—Mails close Feb. 14, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 2.

Empress of Canada—Mails close Feb. 20, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 4; Shanghai, March 6; Hong Kong, March 11.

Iyo Maru—Mails close Feb. 25, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 14.

Australia and New Zealand

Aorangi—Mails close Feb. 6, 4 p.m. Due at Auckland, Feb. 24; Sydney, March 3.

Sonoma (via San Francisco)—Mails close Feb. 7, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, March 3.

Tahiti (via San Francisco)—Mails close Feb. 23, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington, March 16; Sydney, March 21.

Ventura (via San Francisco)—Mails close Feb. 28, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, March 24.

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OCEAN FALLS-PRINCE RUPERT ROUTE—From Vancouver every Wednesday at 9 p.m.
POWELL RIVER-UNION BAY-COMOX ROUTE—From Vancouver every Tuesday and Saturday at 11:45 p.m.
NANAIMO-POWELL RIVER—From Vancouver every Thursday at 10 p.m.
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SHIPPING INFORMATION

SUNRISE AND SUNSET FEBRUARY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1925:

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:42	5:10	16	7:31	5:31
2	7:42	5:11	17	7:29	5:32
3	7:41	5:12	18	7:28	5:34
4	7:40	5:14	19	7:26	5:35
5	7:39	5:15	20	7:24	5:36
6	7:38	5:16	21	7:23	5:41
7	7:36	5:18	22	7:21	5:42
8	7:35	5:19	23	7:20	5:43
9	7:33	5:20	24	7:18	5:44
10	7:32	5:21	25	7:16	5:46
11	7:30	5:22	26	7:15	5:47
12	7:29	5:24	27	7:13	5:49
13	7:27	5:25	28	7:11	5:50
14	7:26	5:27			
15	7:25	5:28			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TIDES AT VICTORIA FEBRUARY

Date	Time. M. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time. M. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time. M. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time. M. M.	Ht. Ft.
1	..	..	9:05	8.6	17:04	1.1	..	..
2	..	..	9:52	8.2	17:52	1.5	..	..
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The times used are Pacific Standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Nelson Church Union Vote

NELSON, Feb. 19.—St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Nelson, finished a fortnight's balloting on church union tonight, the vote being: For, 101; against, 31.

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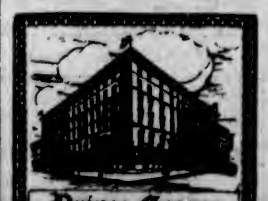

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BEST QUALITIES — SUPERIOR VALUES

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Note February Home Furnishing Sale Bargains Today

Girls' Cardigans

Regular $4.50; On Sale for

$2.75

Cardigans for the ages of 5 to 10 years, well made and very cosy; suitable for school wear. Shades are rose, cerise and grey. Regular value $4.50. On sale, **$2.75**

—Children's, 1st Floor

Children's Sailor Hats

On Sale, Each

$1.25

Smart Sailor Hats in navy shade, suitable for wearing with reefer suits. They have H.M.S. names on band and are for the ages of 3 to 7 years. Big values at **$1.25**

—Children's, 1st Floor

Women's Fine Princess Slips

For Spring Wear

Princess Slips of white cotton, shadow-proof garments with deep hem and embroidered tops. Each **$1.98**
$2.25 and **$2.50**

Satinette Slips in plain or striped designs, strap shoulders; shown in white and popular colors. Each, **$1.79** and **$2.50**

Broadcloth Slips, heavy quality, with hemstitched top; in shades of orchid, peach, grey, sand, henna, brown, navy and black. Each .....**$2.50** and **$3.50**

Out-Size Costume Slips of broadcloth, with built-up shoulders or shoulder straps; shown in navy, grey, brown, white and black. Sizes 46 to 51. Each, **$3.95**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Office Supplies and Stationery Sundries

On Sale Today

Desk Files, regular 25c and 35c, for, each .....**15¢**

Ink Wells, regular 35c and 40c; on sale for, each, **15¢**

Ink Wells, regular 50c and 60c, for, each .....**25¢**

Pen Racks, regular 15c to 35c, for, each .....**10¢**

Odd lot Pencils to clear at, each .....**5¢**

Erasers to clear at half price, **2** for .....**5¢**
Each .....**5¢** and **10¢**

Drawing Pins, regular 35c and 40c a box, for .....**25¢**

Notarial Labels, regular 85c, for .....**40¢**
Regular 65c, for .....**30¢**

Marking Tags and Labels selling at half price, per package ....**10¢** and **15¢**

A limited number of Ledgers and Account Books. Splendid values .....**All Prices**

Continuing Our Sale of Pictures at Half Price Today.

—Lower Main Floor

Drug Sundries and Toiletries

Today's Specials

Kruschen Salts, 75c size, for .....**53¢**

Cuticura Soap, 75c box of 3 cakes .....**57¢**

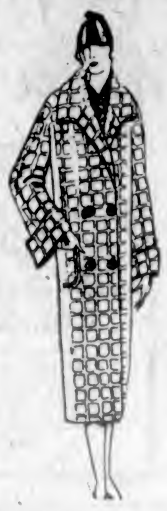
Seidlitz Powders, full strength; 25c box .....**16¢**

Finest Epsom Salts, **3** lbs. for .....**25¢**

Talcums, 1-lb. tins .....**25¢**

Toilet Soaps, assorted values to 15c per cake, **3** for .....**25¢**

Wavette, keeps bobbed hair in curl; easy to apply. Per bottle .....**50¢**



Women's Spring COATS

New Styles

$12.90 and $16.90

Coats of Polo and Velour Cloths, made in utility or straight lines, with inverted pleat and back belt. They have double-breasted fronts, smart tailored sleeves and presented in leading shades. Sizes range from 16 to 42. A big value at **$12.90**

Cut Velour Coats, made in sports models, with raglan sleeves, or Check Polo Cloth Coats with side fastening, strappings of contrasting shades and neatly trimmed with buttons. Shades are brown, zinc, toast, henna and fawn. All sizes and great value at **$16.90**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Special Purchase of Women's "Perth" Shoes

On Sale at, a Pair..... **$5.00**

A special price concession for a large purchase of these well-known shoes enables us to offer them at this low price. Not broken sizes or off styles, but just the shoes you want for early Spring. All have welt soles and Cuban or low heels, round or square toe lasts.

Patent Colt Strap Pumps
Black Kid Strap Pumps
Black Kid Oxfords
Black Kid Strap Pumps with suede trimming
Black Calf Oxfords

All sizes in C and D widths.
A pair **$5.00**

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

Visit the Special Section on the Lower Main Floor for Extra Bargains in

Women's Shoes at $1.95, $2.95 and $3.95 a Pair

Broken Lots of Fine Shoes at Tremendous Reductions. It Will Pay You to See Them.

A New Shipment of Children's Spring Coats

We have just received a shipment of Children's Spring Coats in new styles and shades, plaids and plain colors. They are well tailored and very dressy; fawns and blues. Sizes for the ages of 2, 3, 4 and 5 years. Prices very moderate at

$3.95 to $6.90

Children's Reefers in shades navy and fawn, trimmed with brass buttons and pockets. All-wool serges. For the ages of 2 to 6 years. Excellent value at **$4.75**

For the ages of 7 to 10 years at.....**$6.50**

Fawn Reefers. Very special value at.....**$5.75**

—Children's, 1st Floor

Children's Day in the

Hosiery Department

Serviceable Plain Cotton Hose of medium weight, ideal for school or general wear. Special splicing at heels and toes, insuring long service; shown in black, brown or white; sizes 6 to 10. A pair .....**25¢**

Girls' 1-and-1 Rib Cotton Hose, medium weight, comfortable seamless feet; shown in black, camel and white. A pair .....**50¢**

Boys' Heavy Black Ribbed All-Wool Hose, spliced at heels and toes; long wear insured. Sizes 6 to 11. At, a pair .....**60¢**

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Hose, knitted from good quality all-wool yarns in heather mixture; reinforced heels and toes; sizes 6 to 10½. At, a pair .....**98¢**

Boys' Strong Serviceable Black Cotton Hose, knitted in the 2-and-1 rib which insures a neat fit; have comfortable seamless feet and are reinforced at the heels and toes. Priced very low and according to size, from, a pair .....**50¢** to **60¢**

Children's Ribbed Silk Lisle Hose. This hose has reinforced toes and heels; shown in black, brown, camel and white.
Sizes 5½ to 7. A pair....**50¢**
Sizes 8 to 10. A pair.....**75¢**

Boys' Black All-Wool Cashmere Hose of medium weight, knitted in 2-and-1 rib; sizes 6 to 11. A pair.....**98¢**

Boys' Medium Weight Golf Hose, knitted in wide ribbed style from all-wool yarns; fancy roll tops; sizes 6 to 10. A pair.....**75¢** and **98¢**

Children's All-Wool Golf Hose, brown, fawn and grey. This hose is well reinforced and will give good wear; suitable for either boys or girls.
Sizes 6, 6½, 7 and 7½. At, a pair .....**98¢**
Sizes 8, 8½, 9, 9½ and 10. A pair **$1.25**

Diamond Knee Hose, knit from a good strong English all-wool yarn; in sizes 6 to 10. Priced according to size, from, a pair....**85¢** to **$1.25**

—Main Floor

Slightly Soiled Embroidery Models

On Sale Today

Regular Values to $12.00—No Two Articles Alike

15 Only, Buffet Sets; 8 Only, Guest Towels; 6 Only, Children's Aprons. To clear at, each..... **$1.75**

Home Knitting Wools

Regular 20c a Ball for 15c

Home Knitting Wool, worsted only, in shades of naiad, yellow, orange, rose, pink, reseda, turquoise, cardinal, mauve, brown, pale blue, emerald, henna, grey, fawn, dark wisteria, aluminum, Nile, Oriental and flame. Regular 20c a ball. On sale for..... **15c**

—Art Needlework, 1st Floor

See Our Windows Today

For Display of Our Largest Purchase of New Spring Ginghams and Cotton Wash Goods — On Sale Monday.

Brass, Steel and Wood Beds

At February Sale Prices

Simmons Brass Beds, with 2-inch posts and top rod and leg, ball covers and one-inch fillers, satin ribbon finish. February Sale Price.....**$20.00**

Brass Bed, with 2-inch continuous posts and one-inch fillers, 3 ft. 6 in. size. Regular $35.00. On sale for....**$17.50**

Brass Bed, with 2-inch posts, 2-inch top rods and five one-inch fillers; 3 ft. size. Regular $32.50. On sale for....**$16.25**

Simmons Steel Bed, with 2-inch continuous posts and cane effect centre panel, walnut finish; all standard sizes. Special, each **$15.50**

Steel Beds, with heavy continuous posts and five one-inch fillers, finished in ivory enamel; all standard sizes. Special, each **$10.90**

Simmons Steel Beds, with square posts and five upright fillers; all standard sizes; walnut finish. Special, each for **$15.50**

Steel Beds, with continuous posts and six round fillers; walnut finish; all standard sizes. Special, each, **$10.00**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

A Special Purchase of Women's Wool Crepe Dresses

A Big Value for Today Each

$6.90

Wool Crepe Dresses, made in jumper and straightline effects with stand-up collars or turn-back collars with silk tie. They have three-quarter and full length sleeves, are trimmed with fancy buttons and contrasting stripes on collars and cuffs; finished at waist with silk stitching and girdles, and shown in shades fawn, cocoa, saxe blue, green, nigger brown, tomato and rose pink. Sizes range from 16 to 42. On sale today for, each.....**$6.90**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Women's Sweaters

All-Wool Pull-Overs, in the popular "Kid Boots" style, with very short sleeves and tie. Designed in fancy rib effect and plain knit collar. Shades are fawn, red, canary, yellow, white, with contrasting shades. Sizes 36, 38 and 40. On sale for..... **$1.50**

Silk Sleeveless Sweaters, in plain and contrasting shades; fancy weave effects in desired shades. Silk Tuxedos in drop-stitch and plain styles, finished with belt and pockets. Shades are crimson, yellow, brown, honeydew. Sizes 34 to 42. On sale for..... **$2.95**

Pull-Overs, Tuxedos and Cardigans of pure wool and made in plain and fancy effects. The shades are blue, jade, white and all-over effects. Sizes 38 to 42.
On sale for..... **$3.98**

Pull-Overs, Jacquettes and Cardigans of all-wool and silk and wool mixture. These are shown in shades of mauve, blue, tomato, white and heather mixtures. Sizes 38 to 40. On sale today for..... **$4.98**

Pure Wool Navy Blue Cardigans, made with high button collar and finished with girdle. The sizes are 36 to 40. On sale, each..... **$5.98**

—Women's Sweaters, 1st Floor

Rattan Chairs and Rockers

On Sale, Each $11.95

Rattan Chairs and Rockers, in fumed finish, with spring seats, loose cushions and pad back; covered with cretonne in assorted colors. On sale today (not more than two to one customer) each **$11.95**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Big Values From Our Great Stock of LINOLEUMS

Inlaid Linoleum in fine block and tile designs; some designs slightly defective but not enough so as to affect the appearance. Regular $1.95 a square yard. On sale for.....**$1.49**

Inlaid Jasper Linoleum, shown in rose, mauve or grey; designs right through to the canvas back. Regular $1.65 a square yard. On sale for.....**$1.30**

Genuine Heavy Printed Canvas Back Floor Oilcloth, good colors and patterns. Regular 59c a square yard. On sale for .....**49¢**

—Linoleum, 2nd Floor

Men's Socks

For Spring Wear

25c to $1.25

A Pair

Men's Fine Cotton Socks, with spliced heels and toes; made to withstand hard wear; black and colors. A pair.....**25¢**

Men's Fine Lisle Socks, mercerized silk finish; in self lace stripe and new Spring shades and black. Very special value, a pair.....**50¢**

Men's Imported Black Cashmere Socks, all-wool; sizes 9½ to 17. Very special, a pair.....**50¢**

Men's Spring Weight Heather Mixture and Lovat Worsted Socks, all-wool, very comfortable to wear and special value, a pair.....**50¢**

Men's Silk Thread and Fibre Silk Socks, for ordinary or dress wear; all good shades and black. A pair.....**75¢**

Men's Art Silk and Wool Socks, light Spring weight and with fancy rib; shown in plain shades. Special at, a pair .....**85¢**

Men's Interwoven Silk Socks, two-tone shades, in fine rib; colors and black. Special at, a pair **$1.25**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's New Oxford Shoes

$6.00

Pair

Black or Brown Calf Oxfords on new lasts; smart effects for Spring wear. A pair

$6.00

—Main Floor

New Shipment of

Women's Knit Underwear

Harvey-Make Summer Combinations, slip-over styles, loose leg or tight knee, short or no sleeves, finished with fancy beadings. Sizes 36 to 44. A suit **$1.25**

Harvey Combinations, Summer weight, plain bias tape tops, slip-over style, round straps or opera tops, wide leg, lace trimmed. Sizes 36 to 40. A suit .....**90¢**

Women's Harvey Step-In Combinations, slip-over styles, round straps or opera tops, wide leg, lace trimmed. Sizes 36 to 40. A suit, **90¢**

Knitted Silk Vests, with opera tops and straps of self material; shown in flesh only. Sizes 36 to 40. Each .....**85¢**

—1st Floor

Women's House Dresses

Very Dainty Dresses of Good Washable Fabrics

House Dresses of colored chambray, trimmed with cretonne and rick-rack braid. Sizes 36 to 42. Each, **$1.50**

Crepe Bungalow House Dresses, in attractive bright shades, with hand-embroidered designs on front. Sizes 36 to 42. Each **$1.75**

House Dresses in extra large sizes, made of percale, chambray and gingham; slip-on styles, with square neck, kimono sleeves and belt. Each .....**$2.25** and **$2.50**

Rubber Aprons in artistic designs and colors, suitable for all household purposes. Each .....**69¢** and **$1.20**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Curtain Nets

At February Sale Prices

Curtain Net, 43 inches wide, imported from Scotland; exceptionally fine value, Regular 50c a yard, for **39c**

Curtain Net, 40 and 45 inches wide; grouped in this line are several different styles of net. Values to 85c. On sale for, a yard **65c**

—Draperies, 2nd Floor

Wilton and Axminster Rugs

Great Values Today

2 Only, Wilton Rugs, 9 ft. x 9 ft. Shown in two tones of rose and blue. Regular price $69.00 each. On sale for, each **$45.00**

2 Only, English Seamless Axminster Rugs, 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in.; good designs. Regular $79.00. On sale for, each **$59.00**

2 Only, English Seamless Axminster Rugs. Very attractive patterns and superior quality. Reg. $100.00. On sale for, each **$69.00**

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

Jersey Suits

For Boys 2 to 5 Years
Regular $3.50; On Sale for

$3.95

Jersey Suits of fine cashmere, made in "Oliver Twist" style, with turn-down collar and three pearl buttons. Shades are saxe, brown, navy and white. Regular value $5.50. On sale for **$3.95**

—Children's, 1st Floor